# THE BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

ALL THE NEWS THAT'S FIT TO PRINT.

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## COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

The Commencement exercises of the Cloverport High School in the Methodist church Friday evening were beautiful. The seven girl graduates and their flower girls were the prettiest part of the program. The graduates marched in single column from the vestibule to the rostrum, linked together by a beautiful chain of red roses thrown over their shoulders. The column was lead by Martha Heston Willis followed by Margaret Wickliffe Moorman, Ray Lewis Heyser, Jennie Mable Harris, Katherine Klyde Moorman, Jane Simons Smith and Maud DeBruler Polk. Miss Francis Smith played the march.

The invocation was by the Rev. Currie, followed by a piano solo by Miss Francis Smith.

Prof. J. P. King introduced Dr. A. S. McKenzie of the Kentucky State college who made an address, subject "White Magic." "White Magic" was found to be the influence which one individual unknowingly exerts over another. Dr. McKenzie said that the more education a person had the more "White Magic" he possesed. There is a great deal of humor in Dr. McKenzie and his talk provoked much merriment as well as thought. He received much applause.

"Going to Market" as Mrs. L. T. Ried sang it captivated the audience. The crowd showered Mrs. Reid with applause after applause.

Prof. J. P. King presented the diplomas to the graduates, followed by a piano selection by Miss Rebecca J. Willis. Prof. King rose to thank the audiance and say a word to the graduates. At the mention of the graduates the house went into a storm of cheers.

The grduates then received their flowers. Rev. J. T. Lewis delivered the benediction.

## BIG DAY AT IRVINGTON.

Irvington, Ky., May 22.—One of the largest days that Irvington has seen for many years was that on last Tuesday at the wool delivery. Over 13,000 lbs of wool was brought here and about $44000 distributed among the people that day. That day is long to be remembered as one of Irvington's busiest scenes.

## SPECIAL MEETING HOME-COMING COMMITTEES.

Hardinsburg Ky. May 21,—The Committees on the different matter in connection with Home Coming Day for Breckenirdge County are hereby called to meet in the Courthouse in Hardinsburg on Monday May 28 1906 promtly at 1 o'clock for the purpose of fixng a day for the said celebration and the discussion of any other matters pertaining to arrangements of all kinds. This is County Court day and positively the discussion can take but 60 minutes time. Discuss thoroughly all phazes of the matter prior to the meeting. The Committees on Finance and Entertainment are specially urged to attend.

M. H. Beard,
C. B. Skilman,
H. DeH. Moorman,
Supervision Committee.

Jno. O'Connell was in Louisville Monday.

Edwin Wroe went to Hardinsburg Friday to assist in holding the county teacher's examination.

## PROGRAMME.

### BRECKENRIDGE COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT GARFIELD JUNE 1 AND 2.

Program Friday, June 1. Evening Session.

8:00 Devotional Services.

8:15 Stereoptican lecture—By E. A. Fox.

Saturday, June 2.
Forenoon Session

9:30 Devotional Exercises—Rev. D. F. Shacklette.

9:45 Welcome address—J. B Richardson.

Response—Rev. J. Cline.

10:00 The Meaning and Purpose of this Convention—By County President.

10:10. The Real Work of a Real Sunday School—Jesse Whitworth.

10:25 Song.

10:30 Report of County Honor Department—Superintendent. How and Why you Should Have One in Every Sunday School?

Discussion.

11:00 Address Young People, Teachers and Parents on Character Building—Miss Bettie Taylor.

11:10 The Teacher and His work.—E. A. Fox.

11:30 Report.

1. District Secretary.
2. County Secretary.
3. Offering for County and State Work.
4. Appointment of Committees.

Song.

Afternoon Session.

11:5. Song and Prayer.

1:25 How to improve the Sunday School.—E. A. Fox.

1:45. The Teaching that Touches and Tells—Mrs. W. J. Piggott.

2. Teachers, Training—E. A. Fox

2:20. The Relation of the Sunday School to the Church—J. W. Hughes.

2:30 Song.

2:35. The Sunday School as an Evanglistic agency—S. C Dowell.

2:50 Primary Conferance held By A. E. Fox.

Report of County Superintendent, and How to Improve the Work.

Discussion.

3:20 How to make the Sunday School Go—H. H. Rafferty.

3:35 Report of County Superintendent.

House to House Visitation.

Discussion held By E. A. Fox.

4:00. Report of Committees and unfinished Business.

Adjournment.

J. B. Herndon, Pres.
Norris Kurtz, Sec.

### No ice of Local Option Contest.

The undersigned citizens and legal voters in voting precinct 1 of the Cloverport Magisterial District 2 of Breckenridge County, Kentucky, here by give notice to all whom it may concern, that they have filed in the office of the clerk of the Breckenridge County Court, a statement and their written grounds of contest of the Local Option Election held in said precinct, on Saturday, May 5th, 1906.

Given under our hands, this the 17th day of May, 1906.

W. H. Bowmer,
H. L. Morton,
H. H. Rafferty,
J. O. Stephens,
John F. Morton.
J. A. Ross,
L. McGavock,
Marvel Green,
J. H. Blythe.
E. M Bartles.

By J. S. Wortham, V. G Babbage and Jno. P. Haswell Jr., their attorneys.

Mr. F. L. Lightfoot and two daughters went to Hawesville last week to visit relatives.

## DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Younger delightfully entertained Saturday evening in honor of the graduating class of the High School. The feature of the evening which was especially enjoyable because of its novelty it being the auction sale of the young ladies and young gentlemen who were the guests. The young ladies were put on the block first, Hovious Rafferty acting as auctioneer; and then the young gentlemen, Miss Mayme DeHaven officiating in the same capacity. The prices the young ladies brought all ran into the scores of dollars, the bidding being done by the younng men, especially toward the close of the sale seemed to be the liveliest. One young man sold for only forty-five cents, another for five hundred dollars and still another for two billion dollars.

Each young man was required to repeat the name of the young lady when he purchased, after the purchase was made, the auctioneer having announced her name before the bidding begun. This furnished much amusement. The auctioneer commented on their "goods" during the progress of the bidding, as auctioneers will. The graduates and other young ladies who were present and were sold were each of a different nationality, and were as follows: Miss Ray Heyser, Miss Rumnia Lewellen Havenscraft; Miss Margaret Moorman, Duchess Millian Winstanley Maybampton; Miss Martha Willis, Mme Marie L'Avon Francaise; Miss Jennie Mable Harris, Miss Nejaba Mahaja Abdul; Miss Kathrine Moorman, Senorita Mari Montawentis; Miss Lydia Goering of Hawesville, Miss Katina Olga Fechnaversky; Miss Mayme DeHavn, Franlein Gretchender Henistetter; Miss Louise Babbage, Anna Lee Babopo.

The gentlemen guests were the following: Messrs. Byrne Severs, Lawrence Murray, David Murray, Jr., Allen Pierce, Hovious Rafferty, Harry Weatherholt and Jno. D. Babbage, Jr.

## WILL CONTEST ELECTION.

Hardinsburg, Ky., May 22.—The temperance people of Cloverport have instituted a contest of the Local option election in precincts 1 and 2, recently held there. It was filed Thursday. J. S. Wortham of Leitchfield, V. G. Babbage and John P. Haswell Jr. are the attorneys for the contestants. No answer has yet been filed. The law provides that the county Judge and the two magistrates residing nearest the court house shall constitute the Board of contest, and shall hear the proceeding on the fourth Monday after the filing of the contest, but for good cause, the Board may allow further time.

### Watching the North Star.

Breckenridge News—Tell the farmres they may watch the star this week, but watch the next issue of this paper and see what I will have to say under above heading that might lead to a higher price for their present crop of lambs.

Dr. P. W. Foote.

### A Clean Paper.

Andyville, Ky., May 17. 1906, Mr. John D. Babbage, Cloverport, Ky., Dear Sir:—Enclosed find one dollar for the Breckenridge News. Please send receipt for same your paper is so nice and clean I can't do with out it. I have to read about the people of Breckenridge County.

Success to the News.

Yours Respectfully,
F. Singleton.


# Slaves to Spring Catarrh Restored to Health By Pe-ru-na.

## Honest People Tell Their Experiences. Spring,—the Time to Cure Catarrh.

Mr. J. Q. Craig, a well-known athlete, whose home address is Bridgeton, N. J., writes from the Hotel Donavin, Delaware, Ohio, as follows:

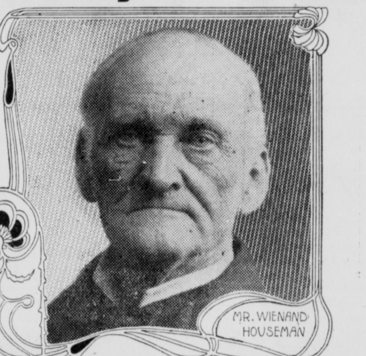
"I can say of Peruna that, as a tonic for the spring of the year, it is the best for athletes, and as such I can give it a hearty recommendation."

Peruna does not fail to prevent the lassitude and languor incident to the approach of warm weather, if taken in time.

Mr. Wienand Houseman, a prominent and aged citizen of Seneca Falls, N. Y., is the inventor of a number of implements of modern warfare. He writes:

"For several years past, I and my family used your Peruna as a tonic and for the purification of the system in general and find that it is an excellent medicine to restore weak nerves to a healthy condition."

MRS. JOHN E. MILLS


MR. WIENAND HOUSEMAN

MR. J. Q. CRAIG

MRS. A. S. RUCKER

Mrs. John E. Mills, 36 Mulberry St., Lynn, Mass., writes:

"I have been troubled with catarrh since I was ten years old. At times my head troubled me so that I was obliged to stay in a dark room. Nothing helped me and my physician said I could never be cured.

*"I began taking Peruna this spring and find myself greatly benefited by it. I have not had an attack since I took my first bottle. I think in time it will cure me. It has already improved my appetite and my general health and I have gained twenty pounds in three months.*

"I have recommended it to several of my friends, who also find it very beneficial. I advise any one troubled with catarrh to use Peruna."

Mrs. A. S. Rucker, 1824 Cedar street, Nashville, Tenn., writes:

*"I wish to tell you what Peruna has done for me. In the spring of 1902 I was very sick and so weak I could scarcely be up. I was alarmed at my condition.*

"I had a bad cough for some time and I tried several cough medicines, but grew worse all the time. I knew if I did not get relief, I would soon go into consumption.

*"So I decided to try Peruna. I had confidence in it before I took it and found it was just the medicine I needed, for in a short time my cough ceased and my strength returned.*

"I have enjoyed better health since taking it than I had for several years previous."

### *Spring Catarrh.*

Almost every one has come to believe that spring is a season that brings derangements of the body dependent on blood impurities.

This belief is an old one, is nearly universal, and has arisen, not as the result of the teachings of the medical fraternity, but has been learned in the bitter school of experience.

### *Nervous Depression.*

Depression of the nervous system at the approach of spring is a fertile source of blood impurities.

There are general lassitude, dull, heavy sensations, continual tired feelings, with irregular appetite, and sometimes loss of sleep.

### *That Tired Feeling.*

That tired feeling, which is the natural result of the depressing effect of warm weather immediately after the invigorating cold of winter, quickly disappears when Peruna is taken.

### *The Correct Remedy.*

Peruna meets every indication and proves itself to be perfectly adapted to all their varied peculiarities. Peruna invigorates the system, rejuvenates the feelings, restores the normal appetite and procures regular sleep.

### *Do Not Delay.*

Get a bottle of Peruna when the first languid feelings make themselves apparent in the spring. Take it according to the directions on the bottle. Continue this treatment through the first months of spring

This course of treatment is no experiment. It has helped thousands. Why should it not help you?

### *A Spring Tonic.*

Almost everybody needs a tonic in the spring. Something to brace the nerves, invigorate the brain, and cleanse the blood. That Peruna will do this is beyond all question. Everyone who has tried it has had the same experience as Mr. Warren M. Taylor, 1216 8th Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., who, in a recent letter, writes:

"I suffered from a general feeling of lassitude, with occasional creeping chills, followed sometimes by fever and biliousness.

"These symptoms manifested themselves mostly in the spring and fall.

"I suffered this way for about seven years.

*"Last spring I began using Peruna and followed the instructions as set forth in one of Dr. Hartman's booklets which I picked up in a drug store and to my great joy I noticed that within a week I was nearly cured.*

"At the end of two months I was entirely cured and feel as though I have a new lease of life."

### *Nature's Assistance.*

Spring is the best time to treat catarrh. Nature renews herself every spring. The system is rejuvenated by spring weather. This renders medicines more effective.

A short course of Peruna, assisted by the balmy air of spring, will often relieve old, stubborn cases of catarrh that have resisted treatment for years.

### *A Word of Advice.*

To those who have been afflicted with chronic catarrh we wish to say that the spring season affords you a splendid opportunity to get rid of your disease.

It may be you have been afflicted for several years; you may have tried different remedies. Perhaps you have become discouraged.

### *Now Is Your Opportunity.*

This failure was during the winter months. But now is your opportunity. Nature comes to your assistance at this season.

Just help her a little and she will bring you out of the quagmire in which you have been floundering so long. Give Nature a little assistance, lest her struggles be in vain.

### *A Typical Case.*

Geo. M. Fillmore, formerly 1st Lieut. 3rd U. S. Artillery, writes from 909 L St., N. W., Washington, D. C., as follows:

"I brought forward from winter into spring a sickening case of catarrh which was making existence miserable for me, until I was induced to try a bottle of Peruna.

"An immediate improvement gave me hope, if not relief. I kept up taking Peruna and it has so strengthened and relieved me that I am now confident of a cure. I heartily endorse Peruna for catarrhal affections and as a tonic for their weakening effects."—Geo. M. Fillmore.

***A short course of Peruna now will be just in time. During the month of April you will find the strategic time to rid yourself of chronic catarrh, one of the most persistent, stubborn diseases in the whole list of human ailments.***

After you have tried it you will say Peruna is positively the best spring medicine you have ever used.

A great many years of extensive trials of this remedy in this class of derangements have demonstrated its efficiency.

### *Numerous Testimonials.*

Thousands of cases might be quoted in which Peruna has rescued people from the ravages of spring catarrh, and put them on a good, solid foundation of health.

We can give our readers only a slight glimpse of the vast array of unsolicited endorsements Dr. Hartman is constantly receiving. No other physician in the world has received such a volume of enthusiastic letters of thanks.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio. All correspondence held strictly confidential.

# GRADUATING DRESS IN PERIL.

"O! My, my graduating dress is gone! This mean old Express Company! I'll have my cousin Judge Henry to arrest them, too. Yes, I will."

Such were the wailing words of one of Cloverport's '06 graduates at the depot Tuesday evening of last week. The seven pretty graduates had ordered their dresses from different scources and all of the dresses were on the spot ready for the stunt except the one that belonged to the young lady who apeared at the express office last week.

"Is there a package here for me," asked Miss M. M.

"Yes, and the charges are twenty-five cents."

"Thank you, I'll be back presently and get it."

The graduate was accompanied by two of her girl companions.

A few minutes passed. Then a young lady appeared at the window and called for Miss M's package, signed for it, paid the charges and disappeared. The agent went back to his work, thought no more of the transaction.

A few cycles of time had been registered upon the clock since the young lady had signed for the package when Miss M., herself, appeared at the window and called for the bundle about which she had previously inquired.

"Your package has been taken," said the agent.

"Who took it, please."

"I don't know. The room was dark and I could'nt tell who it was."

The graduate had the two same friends along with her.

"Was it either of these girls? I think it is very strange you pay no attention to the parties to whom you give out packages." The fair young lady who was about to receive her diploma was becoming very anxious about her graduating dress which happened to be in the missing package.

The agent looked at the two girls and replied that he saw no resemblance in either of them to the girl who had taken the bundle.

The graduate questioned her friends and every minute brought on more worry for her. She thought the express company had allowed this important adjunct to her graduation to go astray and she became furious at the company.

"I'll telphone my cousin Judge Henry Moorman to come down here and arrest this company if I don't get my dress. I think the whole business is mean and I hate it."

The agent protested that he had done nothing wrong and had given the package to the right party. Miss M was in no mode of mind to be tampered with and every word from the "mean old company" caused more furry to rage in the graduate's more or less occupied space upstairs. Her mind was full of the four years of High School ethics but still there was a place for contempt of the "horrid old express company."

The evening train had gone, by this time, and no peace was in sight. Her two companions felt trouble brewing and produced the madly sought package, which they, themselves, had taken from the express agent and laid low to await a little fun.

But it is all over now the graduate who went into hysterics over her lost dress was one of the prettiest of the seven who sat about the rostrum in the Methodist church last Friday evening

**His Last Love.**

She—I suppose you would have me believe I am the first woman you ever loved? He—Not at all. I've loved scores of women, but you are the last one I have fallen in love with. She—Very well, then, I'll say "Yes." As long as I am the last one you have loved we'll get along all right.—Boston Transcript.


## *Spring Humors*

Come to most people and cause many troubles,—pimples, boils and other eruptions, besides loss of appetite, that tired feeling, fits of biliousness, indigestion and headache.

The sooner one gets rid of them the better, and the way to get rid of them and to build up the system that has suffered from them is to take

## *Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills*

**Forming in combination the Spring Medicine *par excellence*, of unequalled strength in purifying the blood as shown by unequalled, radical and permanent cures of**

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| **Scrofula** | **Salt Rheum** |
| **Scald Head** | **Boils, Pimples** |
| **All Kinds of Humor** | **Psoriasis** |
| **Blood Poisoning** | **Rheumatism** |
| **Catarrh** | **Dyspepsia, Etc** |

**Accept no substitute, but be sure to get Hood's, and get it today.**



# DOCTOR CURED OF ECZEMA

**Maryland Physician Cures Himself of Eczema with Cuticura Remedies, Prescribes Them and Has Cured Many Cases Where Other Formulas Have Failed—Dr. Fisher Says:**

## CUTICURA REMEDIES POSSESS TRUE MERIT

"My face was afflicted with eczema in the year 1897. I used the Cuticura Remedies, and was entirely cured. I am a practicing physician and very often prescribe Cuticura Resolvent and Cuticura Soap in cases of eczema, and they have cured where other formulas have failed. I am not in the habit of endorsing patent medicines, but when I find remedies possessing true merit, such as the Cuticura Remedies do, I am broad-minded enough to proclaim their virtues to the world. I have been practicing medicine for sixteen years, and must say I find your Remedies A No. 1. You are at liberty to publish this letter, or any part of it. I remain, very truly yours, G. M. Fisher, M. D., Big Pool, Md., May 24, 1905."

## CUTICURA—THE SET, $1.

**Complete Treatment for Every Humor from Pimples to Scrofula**

Bathe the affected parts with hot water and Cuticura Soap, to cleanse the surface of crusts and scales and soften the thickened cuticle; dry, without hard rubbing, and apply Cuticura Ointment freely, to allay itching, irritation, and inflammation, and soothe and heal; and, lastly, take Cuticura Resolvent Pills to cool and cleanse the blood. A single set, costing but one dollar, is often sufficient to cure the most torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, and scaly skin, scalp, and blood humors, with loss of hair, from infancy to age, when all else fails.

Cuticura Soap, 25c., Ointment, 50., Resolvent 50c. (in form of Chocolate Coated Pills, 25c. per vial of 60), are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug and Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

☞ Mailed Free, "How to Cure Torturing, Disfiguring Humors of Infancy and Age."


# "CLOVERPORT A FINE TOWN."

"Cloverport is a fine, sociable town, and I would rather live here than in Owensboro, "said The Rev. John Lewis, presiding Elder of the Owensboro Methodist district, on his last visit here. The Rev. Lewis is stationed at Owensboro, the district parsonage being at that place. He says Cloverport people are one of the most sociable set of people he ever saw and he "likes 'em." Cloverporters of all denominations are equally as well pleased with Rev. Lewis as he is with them. His sermons delivered here on his last trip caused to come forth many favorabe remarks.

One thing good about Mr. Lewis, and that is he used to be an editor, printer, "devil," etc He knows how to swing a "hand of type" into the forms or "throw up" a gally of type as well as the steady toilers at the trade. When in town, he makes the News office his head-quarters and the minute he steps in the door the editor's chair becomes vacant for his special benefit.

**HAS STOOD THETEST 25 YEARS**

The old, original GROVE'S Tasteless Chill Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. 50c.

# SELECTED AS DELEGATES-

Miss Jennie Mabel Harris, president of the Mizpah misssionary society, and Miss Jane Smith, a member, have been selected delegates to represent the organization at the Woman's Missionary meeting to be held in June at Henderson. The Woman's Missionay society of this place will be represented there by Mrs. V. G. Babbage and Mrs. Frank Fraize.

See that your druggist gives you no imitation when you ask for Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar, the original Laxative cough syrup. Sold by all Druggists.

# BANK AT MC-DANIELS, MAYBE.

Mr. Jeff D. Green, of Caneyville, is thinking of organizing a bank at McDaniels, this county, and in the next few weeks will probably open up a bank at that village. McDaniels is in the southern most part of the county, near the Grayson county line, and Glendeane is probably the nearest banking place. There are about 200 people in the place.

# HENRY YEAGER NOT INDICTED.

Through a mistake in names the grand jury before that of last week indicted Henry Yeager for selling beaverage illegally. Last week Mr. Yeager appeared before the court and satisfied the body that he was not the man they had intended to convict and was released from the indictment. Mr. Yeager is a hustling young carpenter of this city, a member of a well-known family, and a prominent Knight of Pythias.

Important Notice—R—4—11—44 is sold under a positive guarantee by A R. Fisher, to cure chicken cholera, Roup and limberneck. Price 50 cents. No cure no pay.

## ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

**Reported By Evans-Snider-Buel Co Live Stock Commission Agent.**

Special to the News. National Stock Yards, Ill. May 16.—About the usual number of cattle were on sale here the forepart of the week and prices on the whole are little different from the close of last week, however there is a notionable preference, on the part of the buyers, for the better rades of both beef and butcher cattle while the common to medium kinds are a shade lower than a week ago. The bulk of the beef steers sold from $4.75 to $5.15 with a few sales at $5.50 to $5.65 and a few toppy heifers sold from $4.75 to $5.15. There is a better undertone to the trade than for several weeks and good clearances are made each day. There was about the usual number of cows, bulls and veal cavles, all of which sold steady. Good milkers scarce and higher, common kinds $2 to $4 per head lower. Complaints are general about lack of receipts in the stock and feeder division. Values are strong to shade higher for anything showing quality.

Hog receipts light Monday and market higher, followed by 12,000 Tuesday and a decline of 5 to 10 cents. Bulk of to-day's sales made at $6.45 to $6.50 with a top of $6.60. A good clearance was made at these prices and we look for no material change the balance of the week.

Evans-Snider-Buel Co.

## READ THIS.

Milledgeville, Ky., Jan. 1, 1903.

Dr. E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo., Dear Sir—I have been a great sufferer from kidney disease and was treated by my home physicians with no benefit. Your Texas Wonder has cured me and I am satisfied it saved my life and I can cheerfully recommend it to ladies suffering with kidney and bladder troubles. Respectfully.

Mrs. Eliza Frost.

**A TEXAS WONDER**

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatismand all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, reglates bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1. One small bottle two months treatment and seldom fails to perfect cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, Sole Manufacturer, P. O. Box 629 St. Louis, Mo., Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

# SPENDING THE SUMMER HERE.

Miss Ella Grigsby, of Birmingham, Ala., is here the guest for the summer of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Barry. Miss Grigsby is a prominent teacher in the city of Birmingham.


**CASTORIA.**

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought


## LOUISVILLE SHY $1,000 OF GIVING $20,000 TO 'FRISCO.

Treasurer Logan C. Murray announced last week that the total deposits to the credit of the San Francisco sufferers' funds had been $18,938.64. Of this amount $15,000 was sent direct to San Francisco, and $1,004 was sent to New York to the treasurer of the Actors' Fund. Additional contributions are being received every day and a new remittances to San Francisco will be sent in a few days.—Louisville Herald.

**Juggling With Dynamite.**

Is no more dangerous than to neglect kidney disorders. Foley's Kidney Cure corrects irregularities and has cured many severe cases after other treatment has failed. It builds up the worn out tissues and restores health and vigor. "I was troubled with kidney complaint for about two years," writes A. H. Davis of Mt. Sterling, Iowa. "but two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a permanent cure."

# $8000 AS A BRIDAL PRESENT.

Eight thousand dollars as a bridal present is a pretty nice thing to make a bride's honey-moon flow with "milk and honey" and the jingle of $8000 cool dollars while the solemn bethrothel is being said is a very strong incentive to make warm the heart of a fair maiden.

W. H. Corley, aged 74, of Patesville, and Miss Ola Clark, aged 32, of the same place, whose marriage took place recently is full of rómance of the cold business type. Mr. Corley is a rich old gentleman and his former wife had been dead a year. He became lonely and told a friend he wanted a wife and a companion. The friend knew a young lady in a like state of affairs and conveyed the old gentleman's proposition to Miss Clark, which was accepted. Soon after the wedding took place, and now both are happy and blest. Miss Clark is a handsome, stylish woman and wears fine clothes. Mr. Corley is a bright man, though bent with weight of years. His head is covered with silver-gray hair, and with his broad-cloth clothes, he makes fine, distinguished appearance.

**Not if as Rich as Rockfeller,**

If you had all the wealth of Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate, you could not buy a better medicine for bowel complaints than Chamberlain' Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The most eminent physician can not prescribe a better preparation for colic and diarrhoea, both for children and adults. The uniform success of this remedy has shown it to be superior to all others. It never fails, and when reduced with water and sweetened, is pleasant to take. Every family should be supplied with it. Sold by Short & Haynes.

# "NO, I'LL GO TO THE POOR HOUSE."

Indianapolis, Ind. May, 15.—"I was for many years the largest taxpayer in the county, and the county can afford to care for me the remainder of my life." This is the statement made by William Hedrick, formerly a millionare, as he went to the county poor house today, after havng refused the offer of his sons to provide a home for him.

Twenty years ago Hedrick was the wealthiest man in the county. He owned thousands of acres of land, and settled his sons on magnificient farms, with palatial houses. Several years ago his money began to slip away from him, and today he found himself absolutely dependent for bed and board. Each of his sons in turn offered to take him to his home, but he refused with the foregoing statement.

For a painful burn there is nothing like DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. There are a host of imitations of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve on the market—see that you get the genuine. Ask for DeWitt's, Good, too, for sunburn, cuts, bruises, and espcially recommended for piles. The name E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, is on every box. Sold by all druggists.

**Ground for Suspicion.**

From the Emporia Gazette.

An Emporia woman brought suit in the District Court to-day for a divorce from a husband because she found a cancelled check in his check book for $2 for ribbon for his typewriter.

**It Is Dangerous to Neglect a Cold.**

How often do we hear it remarked: "It's only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is such common occurance that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlains' Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency of a cold too result in pneumonia, and has gained its great popularity and extensive sale by its prompt cures of this most common ailment. It always cures and is pleasa n t to tak For sale by Short & Haynes.

James H. Clark, a, telegraph operator of Chamblee, Ga., crazed by drink and disappointed in love, in less than twenty four hours killed one man, severely wounded three others, clubbed a fifth with a shotgun, set fire to house, then committed suicide.

A good complexion is impossible with the stomach out of order. If pasty sallow people would pay more attention to their stomach and less to the skin on their faces they would have better complexions. KODOL FOR DYSPEPSIA will digest what you eat and put your stomach back in right shape to do its own work. Kodol relieves palpitation of the heart, flatulence, sour stomach, heart burn, etc. Sold by all Druggists.

Turkey has sent a satisfactory note to Great Britian concerning the Sinai peninsula. The dominant chord in the note is one of object surrender on Turkey's part.


# Blind Headache

"About a year ago," writes Mrs. Mattie Allen, of 1123 Broadway, Augusta, Ga., "I suffered with blind, sick headaches and backaches, and could get no relief until I tried

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I immediately commenced to improve, and now I feel like a new woman, and wish to recommend it to all sick women, for I know it will cure them, as it did me." Cardui is pure, medicinal extract of vegetable herbs, which relieves female pains, regulates female functions, tones up the organs to a proper state of health. Try it for your trouble.

**Every druggist sells it in $1.00 bottles.**

**WRITE US FREELY** and frankly, describing your symptoms. We will consider your case and give you free advice (in plain sealed envelope). Don't hesitate, but write today. Address: Ladies' Advisory Dept., The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.



# SOUTHWEST

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Are you making as much off your farm as you ought? No doubt you are making all you can. The trouble is the land costs too much. It takes too much money to buy a big farm, and so you are trying a living on a small farm, or perhaps you are renting one and paying a good share of what you raise, in rent. Wouldn't it be better to go where the price of good land is so little that you can own a big farm—where every acre of the ground is working for you and all you raise is paying you good profits?

There are thousands of acres of fertile land in the Southwest along the line of the Cotton Belt Route that can be bought for from $3 to $10 an acre. This land is increasing in value each year.

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A trip to the Southwest would convince you that your best interests lay in settling there. The trip can be made at very little expense. On the first and third Tuesdays of each month you can purchase a round trip ticket to any point in the Southwest on or via the Cotton Belt Route at very low rates. Stop-overs will be allowed for you to examine any locality you are interested in.

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From the Boston Record.

"Call around again Monday," said a lawyer to his client, a fat, good natured Irish woman in the most perfect health, as she rose to leave his office.

"I can't call on Monday."

"Why not?"

"That's the day I practice."

"What instrument do you practice on?"

"The washboard."

"Well, you look as though it didn't hurt you much."

"Faith, an' there isn't a woman in all Boston that has better health."

**Deaths from Appendicitis**

decrease in the same ratio that the use of Dr. King's New Life Pill increases. They save you from danger and bring quick and painless release from consti pation and the ills growing out of it. Strength and vigor always follow their use. Guaranteed by Short & Haynes. Druggists 25c. Try them.

The May day strike in Russia has ended. The workmen of St. Petersburg and generally throughout the country have resumed work.

Notice to chicken raisers—R—4—11—44 cures chicken cholera, Roup, and limberneck. Price 50 cents. No cure, no pay. Guaranteed and sold by A. R. Fisher, druggist.

## GOES TO TENNESSEE.

W. N Pate, manager of the Cloverport Foundry, accompanied Mr. Sparks on his ferry boat "A. L. Peacock" to Tiptonville, Tenn. The Foundry supplied a hundred dollars worth of fixings for the boat and Mr. Pate went on the trial trip in case any of the craft's working might go wrong. It took three days and nights to make the trip.

Tad Weatherholt had charge of the Foundry during Mr. Pate's absence.

**Do Not Be Imposed Upon.**

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung emedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons.

Many thousands of artisians jewelry, printers and coach buil who struck May 1 at Paris, Fr. have resumed work. The Prefec of Polic estimates the total numb strikers in the Paris district is ut 70,000.

The Breckenridge News

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23· 1906.

# JOHNSON POPULAR IN LARUE.

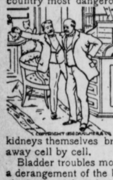
Hon. Ben Johnson of Bardstown, wno is the only candidate for the Democratic Congressional nomination, was here yesterday mixing with the people in attendances at court. Mr. Johnson is by no means a stranger in our county, as a neighborly feeling between LaRue and Nelson has grown and with it has been cultivated Mr. Johnscn's neighborly interest in our people. Mr. Jonnson will not have opposition in his candidacy and will be given the nomination without a contest, which is assuredly a high compliment, but one which he wears easily and one which is well deserved. In the halls of Congress the people realize that he will care for the interests of the Fourth Congressional district with the same fidelity that he displays in attending to his own business affairs or that he has shown in the State Legislature.--LaRue Herald.

### Villages That Cut Corks.

Thousands of men, women and children in the mountains of Spain and Portugal are employed in cutting cork. It is a domestic trade, and it occupies whole villages. Agents from the factories and export houses of Seville and Lisbon go through the mountain villages each year buying up the corks in enormous quantities. It is not unusual for an agent to purchase 5,000,000 on one journey. The corks as purchased in the native villages are of all sizes and qualities. They are sorted in the cities and, after being packed, are shipped by the ton. Once here many of them are recut by hand at the rate of twenty gross a day. So fastidious are some bottlers that the cork importers have to keep in their employment several cork cutters to recut such corks as do not suit customers.


## The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

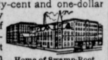
There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.



Bladder troubles most always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root**, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sized bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both sent free by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co. Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper.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**Don't makea ny mistake but remmeber the name, Swamp-Root. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y. is on every bottle.**


# TALK DON'T HURT YOU.

Did you ever notice that "talk" doesn't hurt a man much? Perfection isn't looked for in man, and when some one tries to injure a man by ranting about a few faults he has, the absent one. who is probably attending to his own affairs, is elevated in the hearer's estimation, while the information is lowered accordingly. If a man knocks along, doing fairly well, people realize that while he has some faults, he has more virtures, and they are charitable enough to overlook these faults. But it is different with a girl or woman. No matter how good and pure a woman may be, let someone start an infamous lie about her and everyone is willing to pass it along, and there is always someone to believe it. That lie can never be lived down. it may burn low but gossip-loving are ready with new fuel. Did you ever think how damnably mean some goody good people are in this respect?—Meade Messenger.

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## PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ON LYING; FROM WRITINGS & SPEECHES.

The liar is no whit better than the thief.

It puts a premium on knavery untruthfully to attack an honest man or even with hysterical exagegration to assail a bad man with untruth.

The men who with stern sobriety and truth assail the many evils of our times———are the leaders.

In the long run the most unpleasant truth is a safer companion that a pleasant falsehood.

You can pardon most anything in a man who will tell the truth, because you know where that man is; you know what he means.

If anyone lies, if he has the habit of untruthfulness, you cannot deal with him, because there is nothing to depend on.

### Hard Seats.

It is not well for sedentary workers to sit on cushions. In man, owing chiefly to his erect carriage, there is a strong development of the muscles of the pelvis and the thighs, which almost completely clothe the strong bones of that region. In the seated position, to obviate undue pressure, nature has provided a proper cushion over these bones. Hyrtl's saying is well known, "We sit on the fat of the seat as on a mattress."

In sitting on a smooth and hard surface the body rests upon three main points, but in sitting on a soft cushion pressure is imparted to the muscles and interferes with the circulation in all their parts.

Great attention has been paid to this matter in the construction of bicycle saddles and, speaking generally, with very beneficial results. Nothing can be said against a certain amount of covering, if not too yielding, but the office stool, properly shaped, is an excellent seat.—Pearson's Weekly.

### Food Aversions.

Cows' milk is said to be abhorred by the Japanese, and rabbits are never eaten by the Abyssinians, who explain that rabbits are too much like big rats. The natives of the Sandwich Islands would not take caviare for a gift. Cheese in Mexico is simply curds desiccated and pressed in pancake shape, and even then it is patronized only by the Caucasian colonists. The half breeds accept it with hesitation, and a two ounce slice of limburger would stampede a tribe of mountain Indians. They resent it as a practical joke in questionable taste. But why the Koreans eschew ice cream, as a traveler reports is the case, is [illegible] to explain. Perhaps they [illegible] the Japanese prejudice against [illegible] or the Chinese pre[illegible] heated tidbits.

### The Paradise of Umbrellas.

Surakarta is the paradise of umbrellas. They are carried proudly over the heads of every official and every nobleman, but invariably are shut at the approach of a person of higher rank, and inside the kraton no umbrella may be carried open except that of the emperor himself. The umbrella is the crown, the wand of office, the outward sign of rank and distinction. There are umbrellas of gold inside and out for the emperor, of gold outside only for the empress, with a stripe of yellow satin for the emperor's brothers, with a wider stripe of the same material for his illegitimate brothers, of white silk with a narrow gold stripe for the illegitimate sons of the legitimate brothers, and so on ad infinitum. Every official, every military officer, exhibits his rank in his umbrella, which is invariably held from behind by an attendant whenever he leaves his house in sunshine or cloudy weather. There is an official guide book to the umbrella labyrinth of Surakarta which contains not less than 300 various designs in all imaginable colors and ornamentation.—Century.

### Calvary Clover.

Calvary clover, a flower strangely symbolic of the principles of Christianity, flourishes in Palestine. Calvary clover leaves, like those of other clovers, are trefoil, embodying the doctrine of the Trinity, the central truth of Christianity. Soon after the plant begins to appear above the ground a deep spot of redlike blood appears upon each division of the leaf, but this disappears after a few weeks.

During the day the tiny leaflets form themselves into the shape of a cross, and as the sun sinks to rest the leaves again fold together, it has been suggested, as if in prayer. In due time the blossom becomes a small yellow flower and then a spiral pod covered with thorns. In ripening the flowers interlace, and in their peculiar positions many persons think they can detect the outline of a crown. Tradition says that it is good fortune to plant the seed of the Calvary clover on Good Friday.

### Odd Australian Animals.

Australia produces those lowest of the quadrupeds, the duck billed water mole and the echidna, or Australian porcupine ant eater. They, along with the kangaroos, may be described as the groundlings of the mammalian family, for in respect of their structure they are of a much lower grade than, say, a dog or a cat. This inferiority is seen not only in the brain, but in many other details of their bodily anatomy.

In zoological circles the prevalent opinion is that this mole is a link between birds on the one hand and mammals on the other. These "lowest" quadrupeds lay eggs like birds, the young being subsequently hatched from the eggs, whereas in the kangaroos and all higher mammals the young are born alive and nourished by means of milk.

### Spencer's Love Affair.

Herbert Spencer never married. When he was twenty years old he had something like a tender affair, and he tells about it in his autobiography The young lady's affections had already been placed elsewhere, and she was only playing with the budding philosopher. One day her "young man" called, and they all went out for a walk. Spencer says: "She, taking his arm, looked over her shoulder smilingly and rather mischievously to see what effect was produced on me, there being an evident suspicion that I should not be pleased. The revelation was not agreeable to me, but still it did not give me a shock of a serious kind."

### Killing a Robin.

There are persons at the present day —and not all old women either—who believe that killing a robin will bring bad luck. According to ancient belief the stormcloud was a huge bird. The Arabians represented his wings as measuring 10,000 fathoms. This bird lived on worms, the latter being the streaks of lightning accompanying storms. The Germans remodeled the fiction by creating the god Thor, whose bird was the robin. Consequently to kill a robin first meant death by lightning, then bad luck.

### The Turnpike Era.

Between the years 1790 and 1840 innumerable plans were made for the creation of turnpikes in the United States. There had been one great success, the Lancashire turnpike in Pennsylvania, and then came countless other projects. In 1811 New York had 137 chartered roads, with a total length of 4,500 miles, and the sum required to build them amounted to $7,500,000. An era of canal digging and then of railroad building followed this period, but the canal promoters and railroad men had great difficulty in advancing their schemes. They were considered insane when they insisted that the mountains and plains could be conquered by these means of transportation.

### Nature's Beauties.

Character is fed largely through the eye and ear. The thousand voices in nature, of bird and insect and brook, the soughing of the wind through the trees, the scent of flower and meadow, the myriad tints in earth and sky, in ocean and forest, mountain and hill, are just as important for the development of a real man as the education he receives in the schools. If you take no beauty into your life through the eye or the ear your nature will be hard, juiceless, unattractive.—Success.

### A Queer Italian Custom.

On Aug. 1 of every year the people of Val di Rosa, in Italy, gather in the great square, which is also a thrashing floor, and proceed to exorcise the devil for the benefit of their own dreams and for the well being of their vineyards. The most intelligent man in the community is chosen master of ceremonies. A small fire balloon is made ready and to this the master of ceremonies solemnly attaches a puppet representing his Satanic majesty. Amid the shouts of the peasantry the balloon, with the devil attached, is liberated. The good people believe that for the rest of the year the evil one will not disturb their dreams or damage the vintage.

### Fungus Slippers.

Before the discovery of lucifer matches a large hoof shaped fungus growing on the trunks of trees was used throughout northern Europe for making amadou or tinder. The thick, brown, woody flesh of the same fungus, cut into slices and beaten until it assumes the appearance of felt, is used at the present day in Germany for the manufacture of chest protectors, caps, purses, bedroom slippers and various other articles.

### One Exception.

"Papa, is the hand that rocks the cradle the one that rules the world?"

"That's what I've heard."

"Well, I know one that don't."

"Who is it?"

"Nurse. She wanted to go downtown, and mamma told her she'd fire her if she went and wouldn't give her no recommendation." — Indianapolis Sentinel.

### A Chronic Habit.

"No," said the man who had recently made his fourth pilgrimage to the matrimonial altar; "I can't say that marriage is a failure."

"Of course not," rejoined his bachelor friend. "With you it is merely a habit"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

### Fraudulent Sweetbreads.

"A true sweetbread is perhaps the most healthy meat that can be eaten," said a doctor, "but you are never able to get it. The sweetbread proper is the pancreas, which is one of the most effective agents in promoting digestion, but the sweetbread of trade is usually obtained from the throats of cattle and is what is called the thyroid gland. This gland rests against the windpipe, and, while its texture is similar to that of the real sweetbread, it has not the same beneficial qualities. But some butchers, in order to make money, pass off the salivary gland, that which furnishes the saliva, located in the cheeks, for a sweetbread. This is the most inferior substitute of all. The pancreas, or real sweetbread, is a most dainty morsel. It is of triangular form, while the sweetbreads obtained from the throat are of an oval form. But what is the use of making people dissatisfied? They have been eating thyroid and sal[illegible] for sweetbreads for year[illegible] been satisfied. But then t[illegible] tasted the real thing."


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SUMMER THIS SUMMER

## IN COLORADO

Many people put aside all thought of an outing in Colcrado because they are accustomed to consider this greatest of American playgrounds as one of those impossible things beyond their means. Time was when a visit to the "top of the Continent" was a great luxury, as high in price as in altitude, but not so today.

You can spend the Summer or a part of the Summer in Colorado and live ar reasonably as you do at home, and the quick service and low tourist and excursion rates afforded via Rock Island lines bring the Rockies within your easy reach. Our booklets and [illegible] give the whole story.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT.

### For Congress.

We are authorized to announce the HON. BEN JOHNSON, of Nelson county, as a candidate for Congress in the Fourth Congressional District, subje to the action of the Democratic party.

Was Columbus a grafter?

New York spends $25,000,000 a year on her public schools.

A big acreage of tobacco hills is ready for the first season.

Wheat, oats and grass all over the county are suffering from want of rain.

The Hon. D. C. Moorman is Building a handsome addition to his residence near Glendeane.

The fellow with a little garden patch knows how to sympathize with the farmer in time of drouth.

Rev. Roe has commenced a revival meeting at Irvington and from reports we gather is preaching some mighty good sermons and having crowded houses at every service

Col. Bert Cunningham, of Chenault, reports his apple crop which is nearly always good, as being an extra fine crop this season. Col. Bert is one of the best fruit men in our county. He knows his business and attends to it. And that brings success in every calling.

Capt William Weatherholt, Rev. C. F. Luscher, Dan Schank, W. S. Avery, Winfield Scott, John M. Walker, W. S. Davis, delegates from Perry County, Ind., to the Prohibition State Convention, at Indianoplis this week were enroute there Monday. They said it was going to be one of the cleanest conventions ever held in the State.

Judge Moorman has no easy job in running the road business of this county. If one would take a turn in his office and hear the many complaints and demands of the overseers and others connected with the work they would see that he has no easy position to fill. We had a great big knock coming but when we heard the cry of the multitude we felt so sorry for the young man that we withdrew and said nothing. To satisfy 300 road overseers and —five to twelve hands to each overseer, is a job we don't want.

Hon. Ben Johnson, of Nelson county, is the right man to represent the Fourth Congressional district in Congres, not merely because he is a good lawyer and has a clean record for many years of public life, but because he is a true and honest challenger of the rights of his people. He is to the front on every question of any vital importance. He has never, since he has been a candidate for the nomination which he seeks, dodged any phase of any question which has been asked him by represetatives of the press and by the people themselves. While he is solid on whatever he thinks is right, Mr. Johnson respects the rights of his fellow man and does not deal in loud palaver about the stand he takes and proclaim there is no other way other than his. In Johnson's conservatism lies one of his greatest values as a public man. It has been proven time and again in public life that the man who thinks on both sides of the line is the man who casts his ballot for the best interests of the people at large.

The Courier-Journal is conducting a Tour-to-Europe contest. It proposes to send 21 young ladies on a two month's tour of Europe, this summer. It has laid off the state into several distrcts, and the young lady in that district, who receives the highest number of votes, will recieve the coveted trip. Miss Fannie Smith of Hardinsburg is the leading candidate in Distric 13, having about 50,000 more votes than her nearest competitor, and she has an excellent chance to win. She is a cultured, well-read young lady, and she is capable of enjoying the trip thoroughly. The people of Breckenridge county should see to it that she wins the race in her district. There is a voting cupon in every issue and a subscriber to the Conier-Journal is entitled to a certain number of votes in proportion to the length of time his subsciption runs.

The News hopes you will vote for her and help her win this contest.

### Notice of Local Option Contest.

The undersigued citizens and legal voters precinct 2 of the Cloverport Magisterial District, or District 2 of Breckenridge County, Kentucky, hereby give notice to all whom it may concern, that they have filed in the office of the clerk of the Breckenridge County Court, a statement and their written grounds of contest of the Local Option Election held in said precinct on Saturday, May 5th, 1906.

Given under our hands, this the 17th day of May, 1906.

A. A. Simons,
H. L Stader,
J. T. Owen,
B. M. Currie,
H. C. Waggoner,
H. E. Allen,
Jno. D. Babbage,
J. C Nolte,
E. F. Nolte,
L. A. Murray.

By J. S. Wortham, V. G. Babbage and Jno. P. Haswell Jr., their attorneys.

### Special Sermon.

It is largely through the kindness and co-operation of my churches, that I was permitted to have a delightful trip to Chattanooga, and attend our Southern Baptist Convention.

I therefore would like to have the privilege of meeting as large a number of our membersihp, of coure all are invited, on the fourth Sunday at eleven o'clock to try to bring them in touch with our great Chattanooga meeting and vital principle in our denominational life.

Respecttfully,
J. T. Lewis.

Miss Lydia Goering returned to Hawesville Monday after a visit to Miss Mayme DeHaven.


# For the Children

To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.

The children cannot possibly have good health unless the bowels are in proper condition. Correct any constipation by giving small laxative doses of Ayer's Pills. All vegetable, sugar-coated.

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*May 10, 1906.*

*Dr. F. M. Smith,*
*Cloverport, Ky.*
*Dear Doctor:*

*Under separate cover I am sending you thirty small-pox circulars. I would suggest that you put them in the hands of your best citizens and explain to them that it will be necessary for this Board to take action in the matter unless they comply with the law and have their families vaccinated at once. We would regret very much to do this, as it would put your good little town to a good deal of expense, but of course you know we will not hesitate about it if it becomes necessary for us to take action.*

*With assurance of personal regards,*
*Sincerely,*
*J. N. McCormack,*
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# TO TAKE COUNTY VOTE.

Workers of the Anti-Saloon league announced when in Owensboro last Sunday that the league proposes to hold local option elections during the present year, under the provisions of the county unit law, passed by the legislature at the last session, in all of the counties of the state not now "dry." In all counties in which there is not a city of the fifth or a larger class the vote will be taken as a whole. In other counties it will be necessary to hold elections with magisterial districts as the unit.

The details of elections will have to be worked out in each county, and it is likely that they will not be held simultaneously although an effort will be made to have elections in all counties near the same time as possible.

As a preparatory campaign, an effort will be made to "give" The Kentucky Issue," the official organ of the league in Kentucky, as large a circulation as possible. Agents are being appointed in all of the counties in the state, and those who obtain as many as 300 paid yearly subsriptions will be given a free trip to Lake Chautauqua N. Y., with all expenses paid. They will remain at the Chautauqua for two weeks. The party will be taken on a special train, and will be chaperoned by Prof. H. K. Taylor, principal of the Louisville Training school, of Louisville, and his wife.

Two agents have been appointed for Daviess county. Miss Anna Lee Worthington, whose home is a few miles west of Owensboro, and Miss Almyre Welman, of Masonville, Miss Worthington's territory will be the western portion of the county and Miss Wellman's the eastern. Allen street, in Owensboro, being the dividing line. Each of the young women will appoint one assistant. Both of the young women have many friends and will doubtless be successful in securing the requisite number of subscribers—Owensboro Messenger.

# JOINS THE LONG LIST.

Peyton D. Scott, who recently moved here from Harned and who with his family occupies the property on the Hill vacated by the Board famiy, came into the News office last Wednesday and joined our long list of subscribers. Mr. Scott married a daughter of Mr. W. N. Pate and Cloverport welcomes him within her borders.

Miss Margaret Moorman went to Zion, Ky., Monday to spend a few weeks with relatives.

## HARDINSBURG.

Mrs. G. Beard attended the district Sunday School conventon held at Webster Friday.

Mrs. Jesse C. Payne, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary C. Heston, returned to her home at West Point, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Beard and dau hter, Miss Margaret, were visitors in Louisville last week.

The M. E. church Sunday School will observe Children's Day, the 2nd Sunday in June.

Mrs. Joel H. Pile was the guest of relatives at Webster several days of last week.

Dr. E. F. Day was the guest of his parents, at the Falls of Rough Sunday.

67 prespective school teachers took the examination held at the school house here Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Compton and children were the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Minor P. Compton, at Garfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heston of Basin Springs were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Heston, Sunday.

## PROGRAMME.

Program for District Sunday School Convention to be Held at the Baptist Church, in Clovreport, Sunday Afternoon, May, 27th, 1906

Song.
Prayer.
Opening Address.
Song.
Reports from Sunday Schools.
Song.
The Superintendent's duties to the Sunday School-Discussion by the Superintendents.
How should worship in Sunday School be conducted and by whom:—V. G. Babbage.
Song.
How can the Pastor do the most helpful work for his Sunday School?—Rev. B. M. Currie.
In what is the Sunday School of gretest value to the church?—Jno. P. King.
What is the greatest need of our Sunday School and how can it be supplied?—R. O. Willis.
Song.
Some reasons why the Pastor should be a live Sunday School man.—Rev. J. T. Lewis.
What is teaching the Sunday School lesson?—H. H. Rafferty.
General Discussion.
Song.
Benediction.
R. L. Oelze District President.
Jno. Burn Distrct Secretary.

Miss Cornelia Ditto, of Brandenburg will arrive this week to visit Miss Louise Babbage.

get Hood's, and get it today,

people in the place.

# THE BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

MAGAZINE SECTION. CLOVERPORT, KENTUCKY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1906. PART TWO.


## CHAMPIONED PAUL JONES.

*MRS. DONALD McLEAN FOUGHT FOR BURIAL OF NAVAL HERO AT ANNAPOLIS.*

**As President-General of Patriotic Daughters of the American Revolution She Was Invited Guest of Honor at Ceremony.**

When the annual convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution was in session in Washington a few weeks ago the meetings were presided over by Mrs. Donald McLean. She enjoyed the unique distinction of being the first presiding officer of the congress who was not the wife of some man prominent in official circles. She had been a candidate for this high woman's office for several years, and the opposition to her election was plainly stated because she could not bring to the office high "national" prestige, which the Daughters of the American Revolution felt was necessary to the varied traditions of the society.

FROM LONG LINE OF PATRIOTS.

Mrs. McLean has half a yard or so of ancestral bars on her revolutionary ribbon, and hails back to some very distinguished citizens, both men and women. She was born in Prospect Hall, Frederick, Md., the city made famous by Whittier's poem, "Barbara Fritchie." The ancestral hall is a big, beautiful old place of colonial architecture, and it is only a few years since Mrs. Ritchie, mother of Mrs. McLean, died. She also had been prominent in D. A. R. matters ever since the organization of the society. Judge John Ritchie, father of Mrs. McLean, served in Congress and was subsequently elevated to the bench of the Court of Appeals of Maryland. He was an orator of renown, and Mrs. McLean seems to have inherited this attribute of her father.

MRS. DONALD McLEAN, President-General of Daughters of the Revolution.

Mrs. McLean's grandfather was Judge William P. Maulsby, and her grandmother, Emily Nelson, for whom she was named, was the daughter of Gen. Roger Nelson, who was a boy of sixteen in college when the Declaration of Independence was signed. He ran away and joined the revolutionary forces. He rose in rank to Brigadier-General for conspicuous bravery on the field of battle. He was left for dead on the battlefield of Cowpens, and a British officer in passing his body wantonly struck his hand with the flat of his saber, breaking the bones of every finger. To his dying day, which occurred many years later, Gen. Nelson carried a stiffened hand. He became a member of Congress and later was made a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State.

DATES BACK OF REVOLUTION.

Mrs. McLean's ancestry began back of the revolutionary period, however. Judges Lynn and Beattle, two of those twelve Judges known as "The Twelve Immortals," who first signed a protest against the British stamp act in 1765, ten years before the battle of Lexington, have in Mrs. McLean a descendant who is not unworthy of the illustrious example of fearlessness of spirit set by them. Lieut. James Lackland was also an ancestor of Mrs. McLean, as was also Deputy Governor Burgess, of colonial Maryland history.

Mrs. McLean was educated at what was at the time known as the Woman's College. She was graduated at the age of fourteen, receiving a diploma which is one of her proud possessions to-day. She continued her studies in history, music and the languages until her marriage, in 1883, to Donald McLean, a man of a long line of revolutionary ancestors like herself and a brilliant lawyer in New York city.

Mrs. McLean has made a practical study of parliamentary law, and in the long years of battling for chapter rights on the floor of the Continental Congress and her own big chapter has become a finished expert in thrust and parry in parliamentary tactics.

At the Fourteenth Continental Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution, when Mrs. McLean was Regent of the New York Chapter, she assisted in introducing a resolution looking to the burial of Paul Jones in Annapolis, Md., that being her native State. Besides having a local pride, she thought the first naval hero of the nation should be buried near to the great naval school.

There was tremendous opposition to the proposition, and the congress voted to "lay the resolution on the table," an expression used in parliamentary proceedings to defer action on the subject. Later it was taken up, but the congress voted against taking the body of the naval hero to Annapolis and favored bringing it to Washington for burial in Arlington. Mrs. McLean has now, however, seen one of her dearest wishes carried out, and, as head of one of the greatest societies of patriotic women in the world, she was a guest of honor at the recent burial ceremonies of Admiral Paul Jones at Annapolis.

### *Made a Good Speech.*

Senator Morgan the venerable statesman from Alabama, has that valuable sense of humor which enables the possessor to enjoy a joke when the laugh is on himself. The other evening, as he tells about it, he picked up an old copy of the Congressional Record while at home, and opening it at random began to read. "Very soon," says the Senator, "I became interested, and as I proceeded I said to myself, 'This man is making a very sensible talk.' I found myself quite in accord with his views and read along with a good deal of approval until I finished two pages I was wondering who could have made such a speech but was too much interested to look back to find out. But as I turned the page I came upon an interruption, and there was my own name given as the Senator making the reply. It was my own speech I had been reading."

### *A Bad Memory.*

Senator Knox's physician advised him to give up smoking a few days ago and put him in the same class with Senator Spooner, also smokeless, after forty years of it. The next morning Senator Knox's physician happened up at the Capitol and went into the Senator's committee room to pass the time of day. He found Knox smoking a cigar.

"Here, Senator," he said, "I thought I told you to quit that."

"Quit what?" asked Knox, in mild surprise.

### *Sun Movements.*

Standing on the seashore at a well-known Atlantic Coast resort, watching a beautiful sunset, with its rays piercing the clouds, were two Jews.

"Look!" said one of the followers of Moses, "see the sun rays."

"No," replied the other, "dere is vhere de sun sets."

## STANFORD UNIVERSITY.

*ALMOST COMPLETE DESTRUCTION OF THE PICTURESQUE CALIFORNIA COLLEGE.*

**Built in Spanish Architecture and Cost of Buildings Alone was Thirty Million Dollars—Will Probably be Rebuilt.**

One of the mose serious results of the Pacific coast earthquake disaster is the destruction of Stanford University, near Palo Alto. More than $30,000,000 had been expended on the buildings alone, and the damage has been so severe that it will mean practically an entire loss. This group of buildings was planned and built on a prearranged scheme and has been accounted the finest group of structures for educational purposes on this continent, if not in the entire world. The buildings were all in the picturesque Spanish mission style, with the arch as the principal architectural feature. This fact, which was so much a source of beauty, has probably been the largest source of destruction, because, while the arch undisturbed is one of the most secure of building forms, when thrown out of plumb it must fall.

IRREPARABLE ART LOSS.

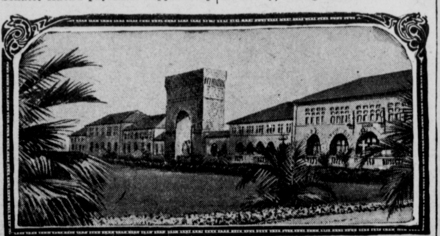
The main buildings are built around an inner quadrangle, which contains the offices of administration and some class rooms. These buildings are all one story in height. The outer quadrangle, which comprises the principal architectural features of the university, has as main points of interest the memorial arch, with its wonderful frieze, by St. Gaudens, representing the progress of civilization in America, and directly opposite this, through the inner quadrangle, the Stanford Memorial Church, with its mosaic front depicting the "Sermon on the Mount." This building cost, in construction alone, $1,000,000, exclusive of the mosaics and carvings inside and out, and its marble statues and art treasures from Europe.

Perhaps it may be said that the loss of the buildings and equipment, in spite of their great value, is the least part of the disaster, because since the university was started on Senator Stanford's Palo Alto ranch it has been a marvelous incentive toward higher education on the Pacific coast. Not only has it gone ahead with great strides on its own account, but it has carried the State University at Berkeley along with it in healthy rivalry, until the two gave an equipment for higher education in California that was not rivaled by that of any other State.

MRS. STANFORD'S GENEROSITY.

If it were not for the indomitable spirit which seems to have enabled the university to triumph over many difficulties it might be said that its career has been particularly ill-starred. For in spite of its great endowment, said to exceed that of any other institution of learning in the country, it has been unfortunate from the beginning. Vexatious litigation arose at the time of Senator Stanford's death, in 1894, and the claims put forward by those who had received personal bequests, to have them settled first, seriously impaired the finances of the university because it was impossible to realize upon its property. After that the Pacific railroad suits tied up the university money for a couple of years, until the Supreme Court decided in favor of the Stanford estate. But Mrs. Stanford, with wonderful courage and singleness of purpose, unselfishly turned all of her property over to the university, saw it through its crises until her recent tragic death in Honolulu, when the Leland Stanford University was again thrown in despair. Its present destruction by the earthquake seems to come as a culminating disaster, yet it is probable that it will rise again superior to the conditions which seem in league against it, though it has practically been set back to an absolutely new beginning.

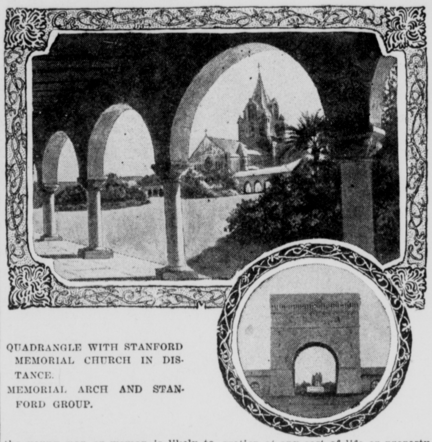
It is already understood that plans have been considered for the rebuilding of the university, as the statement has been made by President David Starr Jordan to the students of the university, asking them to remain and aid in bringing order out of the chaos resulting from the earthquake. President Jordan has been mentioned to succeed the late Professor Langley as Secretary to the Smithsonian Institute in Washington, but those who are in a position to know state that it is believed that he will remain at the helm of the Stanford University and see that the magnificent buildings are erected again.



MAIN FACADE, STANFORD UNIVERSITY, MEMORIAL ARCH IN CENTER.

Stanford University had its conception in Italy in 1884. There a fourteen year old American boy tossed on his bed, struck down by a malignant fever. His fond mother knelt at his bedside and as his young life passed out, she arose filled with an inspiration that he might live again.

To her husband, Senator Stanford, she said: "It was his wish and desire that indigent young men should have an equal advantage in obtaining education. For his sake let us erect a university where all shall have an equal chance." From that day the Senator and Mrs. Stanford devoted their entire energies toward planning the Leland Stanford, Junior, University.



QUADRANGLE WITH STANFORD MEMORIAL CHURCH IN DISTANCE.

MEMORIAL ARCH AND STANFORD GROUP.

### *Government Positions.*

As "distance lends enchantment," so perhaps are many people affected who, living in the remote States, are desirous of holding an appointive office under Uncle Sam at Washington.

Lured by the short hours, light work, and comparatively large salaries, the young man or woman is likely to look upon department service as a beautiful life of "Do Little and Draw Your Pay" and watch the passing show. But it has its seamy side and carries both advantages and disadvantages in its train.

There is the danger of fossilization; of becoming a leaf in the sere; with energies gone and aspiration dead. This danger is great and seems almost inevitable to him who has many years of service in the departments. Though all will not agree with the Hon. Champ Clark in a recent article in the Saturday Evening Post when he says "Over the doorways of the Departments should be inscribed in letters so large that he who runs may read:

"All Hope Abandon Ye Who Enter Here."

Yet to the young man and woman who would keep the fires of their ambition burning, government service should be entered only as a stepping stone to a more strenuous life of higher and better things.

## FIRE VERSUS DYNAMITE.

*TONS OF THE EXPLOSIVE USED AT SAN FRANCISCO TO FIGHT FLAMES.*

**Three Men of Navy at Risk of Their Lives Place Compound in Teeth of Oncoming Fire—Whole Blocks Razed to Prevent Disaster.**

Through the destructive agency of dynamite the section of San Francisco still standing was saved at a cost of more than a million dollars. This powerful compound was scientifically wielded by three men of the U. S. Navy, sent by Admiral McCalla from Mare Island with orders to check the conflagration at any cost of life or property. With them they brought a ton and a half of gun cotton, the terrific power of which was equal to the maniacal determination of the fire.

Capt. MacBride was in command of the squad, Chief Gunner Adamson placed the charges, and the third gunner set them off.

The thunderous detonations to which the terrified city listened all that dreadful Friday night meant the salvation of many lives. A million dollars' worth of property, noble residences and worthless shacks alike, were blown to drifting dust, but that destruction broke the spirit of the fire and sent the raging flames cringing back over their own charred path.

DYNAMITE A BLOCK DEEP.

The whole east side of Van Ness avenue, from Golden Gate to Greenwich, was dynamited a block deep, though most of the structures stood untouched by flame or cinder. Not one charge failed; no one building stood upon its foundations. Unless some second malicious tantrum of nature reversed the direction of the west wind the whole populous district to the west, blocked with fleeing refugees and unilluminated except by the disastrous glare on the water front, seemed safe by 9 o'clock.

Van Ness avenue is flat as the earth on the east side. Every pound of gun cotton did its work, and, though the ruins burned, it was but feebly. From Golden Gate avenue on the north the fire crossed the wide street in but one place—the Claus Spreckels' residence, on the corner of California street. There the flames were writhing up the walls before the dynamiters could reach it; yet they made their way to the foundations, carrying their explosives despite the furnace-like heat. The charge had to be placed so swiftly and the fuse lit in such a hurry that the explosion was not quite successful from the trained viewpoint of the gunners. But though the walls still stood, it was only an empty victory for the fire, as bare brick and smoking ruins are poor food for flames.

EFFECTIVE WORK OF WEEK.

Capt. MacBride's dynamiting squad realized that a stand was hopeless, except on Van Ness avenue. They could have forced their explosives further in the burning section, but not a pound of the terrible guncotton could be or was wasted. The ruined block that met the wide thoroughfare formed a trench through the clustered structures that the conflagration, wild as it was, could not leap. Engines pumping brine through Fort Madison from the bay completed the little work that the guncotton had left, but for three days the haggard-eyed firemen guarded the flickering ruins.

The desolate waste straight through the heart of the city is a mute witness to the most heroic and effective work of the whole calamity. Three men did this—three, simply, because they would not trust their work to others—and when their work was over and what stood of the city for the first time rested quietly, they departed as modestly as they had come. They were ordered to save San Francisco; they obeyed orders, and Capt. MacBride and his two gunners made history on that dreadful night.

### *Elephants Going Up.*

"A five-foot elephant costs this spring," an importer of animals is stated to have remarked, "$1,400, as against $1,200, for which such elephants could be bought two years ago.

"Elephants, like all other wild animals, are growing scarcer with the settlement of the globe, and their prices tend upward. More small elephants than big ones are imported because they cost less to begin with and because they are easier and safer to transport, and showmen like them, too, for the reason that young elephants are more tractable and easier to train. And small elephants are attractive anyway.

"Then, the elephant is a hardy animal in captivity and he is naturally long lived, and the young elephant increases in value with his growth. So that even with their prices tending upward, young elephants are good property, though even they are rather large for family pets."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## Best Dressed Man in the World.

The majority of men believe that he best and most fashionable in nen's clothes comes from London; and that the best dressed man in the world is the American turned out by London tailor.

An American who spends a great part of his time in London, and is ather a stickler for the correct thing, was recently hailed on Broadway by a friend with the remark, "So that's what they're wearing in London, eh?" The man addressed shook his head. "Suit made in Washington, overcoat n New York," he said. "Thought you were togged out from Bond Street, sure," in a disappointed tone. Then the man who lives much in London made this radical announcement: "They can't make a sack suit in England. You ask a Bond Street tailor for an American business suit with an American fit, and he turns out a coat that gives you a caved-in chest when it's buttoned up and a decidedly open front when it's unbuttoned."

Yet some West End tailoring establishments in London depend for their very existence on American trade, not alone the trade of Americans traveling abroad, but a mail order business which entails making on measurements and forwarding by express, likewise payment of duty. So important is this business that a cable code as been arranged. With this code, complete catalog and full directions or self measurement, a man may able his order to London, and feel easonably certain that the clothes he wants will leave England by the next westward bound steamer.

One traveler from a firm in London naking a specialty of cable orders reently visited New York and booked rders to the amount of six thousand ounds sterling. But this class ot usiness is all in "semi-ready" lothing, a system which has been dopted from American tailors.

Yet the American "ready-made" has een a subject of laughter on the ther side; and the New Yorker's laim to be the, "best dressed man in he world," has been received with eers. To the foreigner the idea of a nan who has literally "no time" to evote to matters sartorial being well ressed is absurd—and the New Yorker has no time. He can't wait or clothes to be made by a "custom" ailor.

When he needs a suit he dashes into ne of those immense haberdasheries nat dot both sides of Broadway from ne Battery to the Bronx, where nousands of "ready for service" suits nd overcoats are piled on long tables n stacks that rise above a man's ead. Here are found prices and sizes o fit every customer. Sack suits rom $3 to $50 advertised for cut and martness. They are smart, too, are etter cut and sewn than the English heap suit, but the latter is made of etter material. It is just this differnce that makes the American crowd ook smart and prosperous, while the nglish crowd looks merely comfortble.

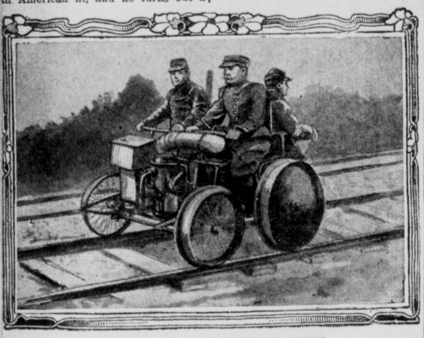
The New Yorker must look prosperus. It is part of his stock in trade. His clothes must not appear old any ore than his face. This demand for outh and freshness is what makes it ossible for some firms to sell as high s 7,000 suits in a day. Hats and hoes get even more attention than lothes. The ancient saw, "When roke buy a new hat," is so thorough- appreciated by the New Yorker hat he receives without even a grin uch advertisements as that which uzzled Count Witte as he walked own Broadway. "Fall Lids for aded Faces," it read. "Fall," muttered the Russian diplomat with a ook of weary amazement, "fall, that eans to tumble down, does it not?" ome one explained that "fall" was he American for the season which all ther nations know as autumn.

Last winter a leading London daily ave a column every morning to the iscussion of "The Fetish of the lack Coat." Every clerk and salesnan in London wears a frock, or rince Albert, during his work, and, ke the English artisan, he wears the ostume of his trade after hours. For eeks members of Parliament and elebrities in many lines argued in the public press as to which system was better: the American custom which ordained the sack suit in business and a change of raiment for laborers after hours; or the English custom which set the frock coat up as the emblem of respectability among tradesmen, a mark distinguishing them from the laboring classes and kept the latter in blouse and hobnailed boots during his hours of rest. In England they talk a lot of what seems awful rot to this side of the water, and they take clothes very seriously. Each class has its garments and each garment its use.

In London the Tuxedo is still a lounge coat, something to be slipped on during the early evening and discarded for the formal "swallow tail" before starting for any entertainment. But the American has forced it into public life, has ordained a black tie and gold shirt studs with it, in place of the white tie and pearl studs that must be worn with the tailed coat. The American speaks of his Tuxedo suit and his dress suit. The Englishman talks of his evening clothes, and would as soon think of changing his trousers to match his smoking jacket, as of changing his studs and tie to accord with his Tuxedo.

While the vast majority of men buy their clothes "ready" or "semi-ready" made, most men regard with envy the one who has time and money to have his clothes made and fitted. The Englishman of means considers it his duty to have his clothes made by the very best tailors and to wear them as badly as possible. As he can rarely remain long at a time within his own country, London custom tailors have stored in their safes measurements of hundreds of wandering Britons who usually cable from various parts of the world when they need new clothes. These measurements are a valuable asset and insurance on them frequently amounts to several thousand pounds sterling.

As a matter of fact, the best dressed man in the world is neither the New Yorker nor the Londoner, but the man who gets his frock coat, cutaway and evening clothes from the Bond Street tailors, who have made these styles of masculine dress for centuries, and his sack suits and overcoats from Fifth Avenue, where one might say they were invented.



NEW FRENCH MOTOR RAILROAD TRUCK.

### New Clothes for Easter.

The flowers with which many churches are ornamented on Easter Day are most probably emblems of the Resurrection. There are people today who think that unless something new is worn on Easter Day no good fortune will come to them during the year. The Dorsetshire poet, Barnes, gives us this quaint little verse in regard to this custom:

"Laste Easter I put on my blue frock
coat, the vust time, very new;
Wi' yaller buttons aal o' brass
That glittered in the zun like glass;
Bekaize 'twer Easter Zunday.

Elderly Spinster: You know, Doctor, I'm always thinking that man is following me. Do you think I suffer from hallucinations?

Doctor: Absolutely certain you do, Ma'am.—From Sketch.

## ANIMAL HEROES.

### The Thrilling Story of "Snap" the Bull Terrier.

Ernest Thompson Seton's last book, "Animal heroes", is, if possible, more than ever up to the standard of his intensly interesting wild-animal tales. To the animal lover this new collection will be read with absorbing attention. Mr. Seton has been subjected to considerable criticism by other naturalists, notably, John Burroughs, for endowing his animal characters with unusual intelligence and powers, which, it is claimed, are not possessed by any dumb creatures. Very likely, as a class, but, as Mr. Seton himself admits in his preface to "Animal Heroes", these histories, while in each case founded on the actual life-doings of a real animal, are more or less composite. What novelist, indeed, does not combine the most striking characteristics of several individuals to construct his human hero, who shall appeal to the reader as an exceptionally fine character? So has Mr. Seton taken the record of a number of wood or other animals and embodied their most striking "kills" or foilings of the pack into one sagacious, brave and gigantic specimen.

Like all of his books, "Animal Heroes" is delightfully illustrated by some two-hundred drawings and sketches from his own and his wife's pencils. Interest is stimulated by a constant succession of marginal drawings, liberally interspersed with full page paintings of thrilling incidents. The story of good-hunting, of fierce pursuit, of fatal closing in—sometimes to the pursued, sometimes to the pursuer—is told by an eye-witness wielding a master pen in depicting animal adventures, and at all times runs through the story the love which the writer bears for all animals—of the proud, indomitable, fearless beast even though he be the scourge of the country, a killer of cattle or sheep or even dogs, of which latter the author is passionately fond, be they good ones.

Nothing he discusses has ever been written which is better worth the reading, and withal sadder in its finale than is the account in this volume of the little dog, "Snap." This "Snap" is a bull-terrier, which was sent the author as a sort of Hallowe'en joke—he was so vicious and unapproachable. He kept Mr. Seton. on the top of the table most of the night, where he smoked cigars until his pocket-supply ran out and then, shivered. However, he finally made friends with his little pup—a youngster absolutely without fear. A year later, the two found themselves near Mendoza, North Dakota where the wolves had been playing havoc with the live-stock, evading poison and traps and actually scorning the attempts of the ranchers and the wolvers to exterminate them. The following is a recital of the hunt in which "Snap" figured most gloriously:

From a high point we caught sight of a moving speck of gray. A moving white speck stands for Antelope, a red speck for Fox, a gray speck for either Gray-wolf or Coyote, and each of these is determined by its tail. If the glass shows the tail down, it is a Coyote; if up, it is the hated Gray-wolf.

We got a momentary view of the pursuit; a Gray-wolf it surely was, loping away ahead of the Dogs. Somehow I so fast as they had after the Coyote. But no one knew the finish of the hunt. The Dogs came back to us one by one, and we saw no more of that Wolf.

Sarcastic remarks and recrimination were now freely indulged in by the hunters.

"Pah! scairt, plumb scairt," was the father's disgusted comment on the pack. "They could catch up easy enough, but when he turned on them, they lighted out for home—pah!"

"Where's that thar onsurpassable, fearless, scaire-o-nort Tarrier asked Hilton, scornfully.

"I don't know," said I. "I am inclined to think he never saw the wolf; but if he ever does, I'll bet he sails in for death or glory."

That night several Cows were killed close to the ranch, and we were spurred on to another hunt.

It opened much like the last. Late in the afternoon we sighted a gray fellow with tail up, not half a mile off. As we rose to the upland and sighted the chase half a mile off, Dander, the greyhound, came up with the Wolf and snapped at his haunch. The Gray wolf turned round to fight, and we had a fine view. The Dogs came up by two and threes, barking at him in a ring, till last, Snap, the little white one rushed up. He wasted no time barking, but rushed straight at the Wolf's throat and missed it, yet seemed to get him by the nose; then the ten big Dogs closed in, and in two minutes the wolf was dead. Snap had lived up to my promises for him.

Now it was my turn to crow, and I did not lose the chance. Snap had shown them how, and at last the Mendoza pack had killed a Gray-wolf without help from the men.

There were two things to mar the victory somewhat; first, it was a young Wolf, a mere Cub; second, Snap was wounded—the Wolf had given him a bad cut in the shoulder.

As we rode in proud procession home, I saw he limped a little. "Here," I cried, " come up, Snap." He tried once or twice to jump to the saddle, but could not. "Here, Hilton, lift him up to me."

"Thanks; I'll let you handle your own rattlesnakes," was the reply, for all knew now that it was not safe to meddle with his person. "Here, Snap, take hold," I said, and held my quirt to him. He seized it, and by that I lifted him to the front of my saddle and so carried him home. He had shown those Cattle-men how to fill the weak place in their pack; the Foxhounds may be good and the Greyhounds swift and the Russians and Danes fighters, but they are no use at all without the crowning moral force of grit, that none can supply so well as a Bull-terrier. On that day the Cattlemen learned how to manage the Wolf question.

Next day was Hallowe'en, the anniversary of Snap's advent. The weather was clear, bright, not too cold, and there was no snow on the ground. The men usually celebrated the day with a hunt of some sort, and now, of course, Wolves were the one object. To the disappointment of all, Snap was in bad shape with his wound. He slept, as usual, at my feet, and bloody stains now marked the place. He was not in condition to fight, but we were bound to have a Wolf-hunt, so he was beguiled to an outhouse and locked up, while we went off, I, at least, with a sense of impending disaster. I knew we should fail without my Dog, but I did not realize how bad a failure it was to be.

Afar among the buttes of Skull Creek we had roamed, when a white ball appeared bounding through the sage-brush, and in a minute more Snap came, growling and stump-waggling, up to my Horse's side. I could not send him back; he would take no such orders, not even from me. His wound was looking bad, so I called him, held down the quirt, and jumped him to my saddle.

"There," I thought, "I'll keep you safe till we get home." Yes, I thought; but I reckoned not with Snap. The voice of Hilton, "Hu, hu," announced that he had sighted a Wolf. Dander and Riley, his rival, both sprang to the point of observation, with the result that they collided and fell together, sprawling, in the sage. But Snap, gazing hard, had sighted the Wolf, not so very far off, and before I knew it, he leaped from the saddle and bounded zigzig, high, low, in and under the sage, straight for the enemy, leading the whole pack for a few minutes. Not far, of course. The great Greyhounds sighted the moving speck, and the usual procession strung out on the plain. It promised to be a fine hunt, for the Wolf had less than half a mile start and all the Dogs were fully interested.

"They've turned up Grizzly Gully," cried Garvin. "This way, and we can head them off."

We galloped to the top of Cedar Ridge and were about to ride down, when Hilton shouted, "By George, here he is! We're right onto him. "A great Gray-wolf came lumbering across an open plain toward us. His head was low, his tail out level, and fifty yards behind him was Dander, sailing like a Hawk over the ground, going twice as fast as the Wolf. In a minute the Hound was alongside and snapped, but bounded back, as the Wolf turned on him. In a few seconds the next Greyhound arrived, then the rest in order of swiftness. Each came up full of fight and fury, determined to go right in and tear the Gray-Wolf to pieces; but each in turn swerved aside, and leaped and barked around at a safe distance. After a minute or so the Russians appeared—fine big Dogs they were. Their distant intention no doubt was to dash at the old Wolf; but his fearless front, his sinewy frame and death-dealing jaws, awed them long before they were near him, and they also joined the ring, while the desperado in the middle faced this way and that, ready for any or all.

Now the Danes came up, huge-limbed creatures, any one of them as heavy as the Wolf. I heard their heavy breathing tighten into a threatening sound as they plunged ahead, eager to tear the foe to pieces; but when they saw him there, grim, fearless, mighty of jaw, tireless of limb, ready to die if need be, but sure of this, he would not die alone—well, those great Danes—all three of them—were stricken, as the rest had been, with a sudden bashfulness: yes, they would go right in presently—not now, but as soon as they had got their breath; they were not afraid of a Wolf, oh, no. I could read their courage in their voices. They knew perfectly well that the first Dog to go in was going to get hurt, but never mind that—presently; they would bark a little more to get up enthusiasm.

And as the ten big Dogs were leaping round the silent Wolf at bay, there was a rustling in the sage at the far side of the place; then a snow-white rubber ball, it seemed, came bounding, but grew into a little Bull-terrier, and Snap, slowest of the pack, and last, came panting hard, so hard, he seemed gasping. Over the level open he made, straight to the changing ring around the Cattle-killer whom none dared face. Did he hesitate? Not for an instant; through the ring of the yelping pack, straight for the old despot of the range, right for his throat, he sprang; and the Gray-wolf struck with his twenty scimitars. But the little one, if foiled at all, sprang again, and then what came I hardly knew. There was a whirling mass of Dogs. I thought I saw the little White one clinched on the Gray-wolf's nose. The pack was all around; we could not help them now. But they did not need us; they had a leader of dauntless mettle, and when in a little while the final scene was done, there on the ground lay the Gray-wolf, a giant of his kind, and clinched on his nose was the little white Dog.

We were standing around within fifteen feet, ready to help, but had no chance till we were not needed.

The Wolf was dead, and I hallooed to Snap, but he did not move. I bent over him. "Snap—Snap, it's all over; you've killed him." But the Dog was very still, and now I saw two deep wounds in his body. I tried to lift him. "let go, old fellow; it's all over." He growled feebly, and at last let go of the Wolf. The rough cattle-men were kneeling around him now; old Penroof's voice was trembling as he muttered. "I wouldn't had him hurt for twenty steers." I lifted him in my arms, called to him and stroked his head. He snarled a little, a farewell as it proved, for he licked my hand as he did so, then never snarled again.

That was a sad ride home for me. There was the skin of a monstrous Wolf, but no other hint of triumph. We buried the fearless one on a butte back of the ranchhouse. Penroof, as he stood by, was heard to grumble; "By jingo, that was grit—cl'ar grit! Ye can't raise Cattle without grit."

"THE DESPERADO IN THE MIDDLE FACED THIS WAY AND THAT."

## THE FIGHTING INSTINCT.

### Story of a Desperate Hand to Hand Encounter Against Heavy Odds.

Now and then among the brutalities and crimes that form the chief subjects of daily journalism in this country, there comes an item that not only appeals to our morbid nature but gets in close to the primal love of fight which springs eternal in the human animal. Most of us have no feeling except of loathing in the case of the secret assassination of six Italians in Minneapolis, because their modes of fight are Latin in a country of Anglo-Saxon prejudices. But just a week before, the press dispatches from Bristol, Tennessee, told of the sudden demise of seven Italians who with others had conspired to murder their section foreman, because he was a "hard boss." Doubtless he was! Nevertheless, the old fighting blood tingles at the bare account of the battle that the foreman, Haverly, whose name suggests his nationality, waged single-handed against the body of laborers that "rushed" him. Had he been armed with a revolver, he would have no sympathy, but he depended on the first weapon at hand—a crowbar. Backed against an embankment, he withstood the combined attack of the entire gang of laborers, all bent on his murder, and armed, against him, with picks, axes, and spades, in addition to their knives. Repugnant as the idea of killing may be, one can scarcely help a thrill at the thought of the foreman, Haverly, at bay like a knight of former days, fighting for his life, and so sturdily and valiantly laying about him, weapon for weapon, steel against steel, until he stretched seven of his assailants dead before him and routed the rest. Haverly may be a brute and a bully; he may have deserved what the laborers, rising like desperate slaves against a tyrant, had in store for him. Yet, somehow, that is hard to believe because the innate love for combat in our nature challenges admiration for a man who displays desperate courage and physical prowess.

### Little Cannibals.

Every once in a while we hear of breeders complaining of the cannibalistic habits among growing fowls. especially among those still in the days of their early babyhood. This pernicious habit, when once the young birds become thoroughly addicted to it, is rather difficult to control and suppress. Usually it finds its chief expression in flocks confined to close quarters, where the ground is bare and the feed is wanting in animal matter. Bird life under natural conditions finds opportunity for work and play in the hunting of insects for food and in the careful selection of such vegetable matter as its system may demand. Young chicks, when confined, are obviously deprived of these opportunities for a healthful exercise; the result is that they become idle, which engenders vicious habits and a craving for something to do as well as for animal food. When in this condition if a member of the little flock shows a wound or effects of blood, the chances are that one or two will at once commence to peck at it, which leads the others on, and soon the whole flock will be rending the little one into shreds, devouring it before one has opportunity to relieve its misery or to isolate it from the flock. The remedy, of course, is obvious, namely, afford the young chicks a wider range and be more careful in your feeding by making it a point to keep them busy by throwing the food into litter or suspending a head of lettuce or cabbage where they can peck at it; also supply in one form or another animal food. A good way to do this is to take the underground scratching chick feeds, which of themselves are a balanced ration, and scatter the same in a litter of chopped straw or hay, about one and one-half or two inches deep. In fact, anything that will make a litter may be considered available.

### A Sudden Change.

Two commercial travelers, one from London and one from New York, were discussing the weather in their respective countries.

The Englishman said that English weather had one great fault—its sudden changes.

"A person may take a walk one day," he said, "attired in a light summer suit, and still feel quite warm. Next day he needs an overcoat."

"That's nothing," said the American. "My two friends, Johnson and Jones, were once having an argument. There were eight or nine inches of snow on the ground. The argument got heated, and Johnson picked up a snowball and threw it at Jones from a distance of not more than five yards. During the transit of that snowball, sir, believe me or not, as you like, the weather suddenly changed and became hot and summer-like, and Jones, instead of being hit with a snowball, was—er—scalded with hot water!"

## PERILS IN COLD STORAGE.

### Frozen Bacteria Active—Government to Make Experiments.

The Agricultural Department is following up a line of scientific investigation of the effect upon perishable goods in cold storage for an unlimited time, and Dr. Wiley believes that he will develop the fact that legislation is needed fixing the period for which such articles as meats and milks may be stored.

In one of the Philadelphia cold storage houses space has been set aside for the experiments and a like arrangement has been made in Washington for storing birds and milk.

The stored articles will be taken out from time to time and examined to ascertain whether or not deterioration has begun, and at what period the point has been reached when the articles can be no longer stored and remain good food.

It already has been demonstrated, Dr. Wiley says, that the bacteria that occasion decay remain in the meat while frozen, and that they actually carry on their work, although at a greatly reduced rate.

In one of the cold storage plants in Cleveland some meat was recently found which had been mislaid and forgotten for a period of eleven years. It was sent to the department and a portion thawed out and examined.

Decay had gone on to such an extent that the meat was entirely un for use. The greater portion of it was again placed in storage and the observation will be continued. The fact that the meat, having been frozen for eleven years, was in a condition of decay is held to conclusively prove that the bacteria can work in the meat while frozen. The object of the investigation is to ascertain at what point the decay has progressed to such an extent as to injure the food value of the article stored.

There is at present no law prohibiting the storage of any article for any length of time. The only law upon the subject is one that requires fowls to be drawn before they are placed in storage.

### The Oregon's Big Pennant.

When the Oregon left Hongkong recently, after her long period of service on the Asiatic station, she was flying a homeward-bound pennant over 500 feet in length. It was necessary to support this long streamer by two small balloons tied to the end to keep it out of the water. The pennant was made of silk thread and attracted much attention in the Asiatic port.

In the old days it was the custom to have a foot of pennant for every day of the cruise. That of the Oregon is probably one of the longest displayed from the mast of a home-coming ship, although it is on record that the old Brooklyn, on one occasion upon her arrival in New York, displayed a pennant 700 feet long.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# The Conflict

FROM NOTES AND OBSERVATIONS
Compiled by Wm.R.Mackrill.

*SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.*

*James Adams, West Point graduate, is in Paris at the opening of the French-German war. In a balloon reconnoissance for the French he is almost captured by the Germans. The balloon is wrecked at the C'ateau Lagunay. Rescued, Adams falls in love with Aimee, daughter of the Count Lagunay. The Germans invade France. A German Colonel, Griesman, insults Aimee cnd is attacked by Adams, who is in turn overpowered by the Kaiser. He joins the German army under a friend, Lowenberg; engages in an ambush of a French column, and returning to camp learns that Griesman has charged Aimee with treason and has imprisoned her. Adams pursues Griesman in an automobile, kills him in single combat, and takes Aimee to a cousin at Bethel. In the terrific land battle two days later Lowenberg is killed in the capture of Montpelier. The French drive the Germans back with glycolite, a terrible explosive sprinkled from airships. One of the ships is blown in the night to Montpelier, where Adams is camped. Its crew is thrown out. Adams blunders into it and is swept away in the gale.*

CHAPTER VII.

I was awakened early the next morning by the sun. My clothes were damp with cloud moisture. I did not learn until then that there was an aluminum roof to the air car, which was pocketed in the basket-work sides, and that there were four electric radiators to provide heat. Thereafter I was more comfortable.

The ship floated steadily high in the clouds. I could see nothing but vapor being rapidly dissipated by the sun, which occasionally shot clear rays into my eyes. The barometer indicated an altitude of two miles, and the speed gauge registered, for the past twelve hours, an average of twenty miles an hour.

After a brief breakfast I examined the ship more at leisure. I found it a little ahead of anything I had ever seen. It steered perfectly, and could be sent up or down by the elevation or depression of broad aluminum blades fore and aft. A small motor, run by a powerful chemical battery, operated the propellers; though it was often possible to travel rapidly with the wind alone as motive power. There was also a Faure condenser for extracting hydrogen from the air, which operated automatically, keeping the bag always fully inflated. A wireless telephone outfit, various scientific instruments, the electric lighting and heating apparatus and the tank for condensing water from the gas-bag were novelties in their way. I found also a second hamper of food and drinkable, and, to my great delight, a box of fine Key West cigars, which I opened immediately. The car was eight feet wide and about sixteen feet long, and there was ample room for a party. I longed for Fleischmann, or poor Lowenberg.

When I had started the motor and set the fans to descend I took a telescope from the rack and waited eagerly for a sight of something that would indicate my whereabouts. By the compass I was going due west, and if that direction had been maintained all night I was far out on the Atlantic.

At last the clouds around me thinned and vanished, and I came into clear air. Below me, stretching away in all directions to the horizon, lay the sea, its tossing waves breaking white under the stiff wind and flashing back the rays of the morning sun. Eagerly I swept the whole range of visible ocean. Here and there appeared the black smudge of a distant liner and to the northeast I made out a low, dark line that might be either haze or land. But this was not all. Directly beneath me I perceived a series of dark objects, all spouting black smoke. They were of various sizes, and by the formation I could conclude only one thing—that they were the ships of a fleet, a naval squadron. Then I recalled the words of the Kaiser that moonlight night at the Chateau Lagunay:

"There will be two great battles. One, on the land, is before us; the other, on the sea, will occur within a fortnight."

I confess to a feeling of elation that I was here, in the air, in position to witness the greatest naval battle of years, although I regretted the necessity for this test of arms. I observed that the fleet was headed northeast, and desiring a closer view I ran ahead a mile or more and descended, until I had a fair sight. The ships were French, by their flags. Beautiful and stately were the great vessels; grimly beautiful, too, when one took note of their enormous turret guns—twenty-inch, without doubt, capable of hurling a ton or more of metal every five minutes. I counted ten battleships, five or six torpedo-boat destroyers (recognized by their quadruplicate funnels) and several cruisers. Two huge coal barges were being towed several miles to the rear. This much was visible to the naked eye. Looking through my glass I could see a swarm of torpedo boats, only their conning towers showing above the water, hovering around the flanks and leading the advance.

The fleet was proceeding very slowly in a great curve to the north, evidently not desiring to advance nearer the coast. By late afternoon it had turned and was heading west at the same pace.

As the sun drew near the horizon and the wind freshened I turned the nose of my airship to the east and prepared to spend the night aloft. I had been sailing leisurely back and forth over an area of perhaps fifty miles, in hope of seeing the German fleet. Except for the many passenger steamers coming and going there was nothing to be seen.

I was leaning over the edge of my basket smoking idly. I had just christened my ship "L'Aimee," and was wishing I had the original with me, when a voice came down upon me from the clouds.

"Who are you," it called, in French.

I looked up in astonishment, and there floated the strangest airship I had ever seen. It was merely an aeroplane, supported by great saucer-like metal contrivances, with a small basket-car hung by slender cables. It swept by, some hundred feet above me, and I had a glimpse of a white face looking down upon me. I sped up the motor, and rising as I advanced soon drew up alongside my fellow traveler. Then ensued a brief conversation.

"Where are you going?" I shouted. He was not more than a hundred yards away.

"I don't know. My steering fans won't work, and I cannot turn. I suppose I shall have to consider myself bound for America."

"Can you descend?"

"Yes."

"Drop to the sea, then, and I will pick you up. My ship steers perfectly."

We were now far beyond the fleet. I descended by degrees. The other tipped his planes slightly and started down on a long slant, like a boy coasting down a hill. When within twenty feet or less of the water he tipped the planes sharply in the other direction, and his ship stopped with a shudder, hovered for a time like a brooding gull, and settled slowly into the sea. I was close behind him with a small rope-ladder, and a minute later, dripping wet, but cheerful, he clambered into my car. Then we rose again to the two-thousand-foot level and with just enough headway on to overcome the wind, lay as in a calm.

I found that my guest was none other than Emil LeFevre, son of the great inventor of submarines and explosives. When he had disrobed and hung his wet clothes to dry in front of the radiators, swathing himself in a rug meanwhile, he gave me a brief account of his journey. The world was ringing with the news of the great battle on the Catalunian Plain; how the French had been all but whipped when their fleet of airships, belated by some mismanagement, came upon the scene with the new explosive, glycolite, and sent the Germans back upon their camp, killing and maiming thousands. There had been no movement on land since that. All eyes were now turned toward the sea, where the fleets were watching for an opening. LeFevre had been so confident of his ability to manage his aeroplane that he had set out in spite of the heavy wind that kept back all the less venturesome aeronauts. He was determined to witness the battle. Just before he saw me he had attempted to turn and found the steering gears jammed. Had I not rescued him he would have probably found a watery grave.

It was now dark. The air was damp and cold, so I drew the roof over part of my car. LeFevre's light clothing was dry enough to put on, and we sat down to eat supper, followed by a cigar. I learned then many things about the impending battle, LeFevre being familiar with the explosives and apparatus in use on both sides.

The Germans were depending largely upon their late invention, the Calnite aerial bomb. This projectile was to be fired by compressed air from a mortar-like gun, and being fitted with a gyroscope would maintain its elevation for a distance of eight miles. The bomb was two feet in diameter and about three feet long, and moved so slowly as to be visible during its whole course. It contained a charge of two hundred pounds of Calnite, a new explosive whose force operated always downward. The bomb contained also a magnet and circuit-breaker so tuned as to be responsive to electrical vibrations set up in a powerful electrical instrument on the discharging ship. By the use of a unique range finding apparatus the bomb was kept in sight during its whole flight, and upon reaching the desired point it was exploded by the mere pressure of a button on the ship from which it had been fired. Tests with this bomb had shown wonderful accuracy and most deadly effects.

Another offensive device was an aerial illuminator—a small, balloon-like affair, arranged to float at a considerable elevation, and carrying a powerful chemical light, backed by strong reflectors. A shoal of these illuminators would be sent toward the enemy's fleet, lighting up the sea and the vessels and making easy targets for the German guns.

Against these devices the French had prepared an aerial bomb to discharge a heavy and deadly gas, and to sprinkle acids or explosives upon the ships of the enemy. They were also provided with aluminum armor, so thick and tough that an ordinary projectile would merely become imbedded therein and held fast without being able to pass through. Around their ships and under water they hung large electro-magnets, exerting, by peculiar wiring, a repelling influence on approaching torpedoes at a distance of a hundred yards, invariably turning them aside. Their mainstay, however, was a new centrifugal submarine torpedo-boat, which needed not to come to the surface, remaining down for days at a time, yet observing operations on the surface, and doing its work with deadly accuracy. LeFevre could not give me the details of this strange machine. Its terrible effectiveness, however, was apparent the next day.

I had no apprehension whatever as to the stability of L'Aimee, and we lay down and went to sleep that night without the least apprehension. Stanch and true was she, even as my own sweet betrothed. It was still dark, when I was awakened with a start by the sound of heavy detonations below us. I leaped to my feet and looked over the side of the car. LeFevre joined me the next moment.

The Germans had evidently planned a night attack by the use of their illuminators. Below us the sea was alight in great spots, and dimly we could make out the vessels over which shone the strong, blue-white lights. Far off in the darkness we could see the occasional flash of a gun. The Germans were sending home great shells loaded with explosives. Their aerial bombs could not be followed at night. The French were replying, but their fire was more or less blind. The roar of the guns came up to us plainly. It shook the heavens. Suddenly there was a flash that lit up the whole sky, and a terrific explosion sounded from below. A German shell had found its mark. One of the French battleships had gone to her long home.

During the rest of the night there was no intermission in the heavy firing. Fearful explosions sounded now and then, and we could but guess the destruction that was being wrought. I had no wish to see either side win at the expense of the other.

At dawn we were able to note the situation clearly. Six or eight miles away to the northeast lay the German fleet. Almost beneath us the French were gathered in loose order. Both were plying their great guns. On both sides burning ships were drifting away, others were careening, half-filled with water. And now, with the coming of daylight, the combatants resorted to their deadliest appliances. As we watched one of the French battleships there was a dull explosion. The great hull opened, split in twain like a canteloupe, and went skiddering to the bottom. We could see it deep in the clear water, its hundreds of seaman swarming around like so many ants in a bowl.

It was remarkable to note the submarines moving here and there under water. From our height we could see clear to the bottom, and every boat was visible by a bright streak as it swept through the water. Suddenly LeFevre clutched my arm and pointed. "The Centrifugal," he said, in a whisper. I watched it on its way, advancing in a bright whirl of bubbles. It was making its way toward the German fleet, and thither we followed.

But whatever work awaited this terror must be done quickly. The Germans were wonderfully accurate with their Calnite aerial bombs. Ship after ship quivered, split open and sank like a broken teacup. The force of the calnite was so great that it operated for a distance of a hundred yards on every side, more than once sinking several of the smaller ships at one explosion. LeFevre groaned as, looking back, he saw one of the largest battleships collapse, fairly smashed into fragments. He shook his fist at the Centrifugal. "On, on!" he shouted. "Do thy work, laggard!"

The Centrifugal moved swiftly. At intervals it came up with a submarine, paused a moment to ascertain whether German or French, and acted accordingly. If French, it passed on; if German it darted at the victim, touched it, and as quickly darted away. What terrible power it exerted I could not understand, but at that fatal touch the enemy sank. There seemed to be no escape, no single chance. Presently this swift and silent messenger of death was in the thick of the German fleet. Looking back I saw that there were but two of the French ships left, both sadly disabled. The German squadron was in fine shape, but three of its battleships disabled. I sent L'Aimee lower to observe more closely. The Centrifugal heeded not the torpedo nets. It passed through obstructions as though it were spirit. We saw it under the bow of the Frederich Wilhelm, the largest battleship of the fleet. For half a minute it lay there, surrounded as ever by that whirl of sparkling bubbles. Then it darted away toward another. So interested were we in watching the uncanny movements of the strange boat that we did not observe the confusion on board the Frederich, nor on the others that were successively visited. LeFevre noticed the great ships settling low in the water, and spoke of it to me. There was something terrible about this destroyer. Inside of fifteen minutes every vessel in that fleet had been stung, as it were, by this great hornet of the sea, and every one was sinking. The seamen were throwing themselves off; boats were putting out; rafts were flung into the sea. Presently the Centrifugal finished her work and we saw her whirling away, stopping here and there to smell a submarine and to kiss it or to sting it as it happened to be friend or foe. What a sight! Twenty-four German ships sinking, sinking, going down to eternal silence. One after another they vanished. The torpedo boats came to the surface, saw what had happened, and put out for home and neutral ports. The Centrifugal, the grim destroyer, vanished. The great battle was over. And neither side could be said to have won. It was practical annihilation for both. Two magnificent fleets of modern war vessels gone, absolutely gone; a quarter of a billion dollars in battleships and thousands of brave fellows dead, only to satisfy the bickerings of diplomats—sacrifices to foolish notions of honor.

To LeFevre the operations of the Centrifugal were a triumph for France, and he was enthusiastic in his delight. But I cared little one way or the other. I was tired of it all. Life had been too strenuous for me. I wanted quiet for a while, and naturally my thoughts turned to Aimee, my sweetheart. Was she safe?

LeFevre insisted that I come with him to his home, but I refused. Turning to the east we made our way rapidly to the French coast. Here we settled to earth in the open country, and after bidding LeFevre adieu I rose again and made my way east. I had but one thought, now that the battle was over, and that thought I was putting into action. My objective was Bethel, where I knew my love awaited me.

But had I known what else awaited me at Bethel I should perchance have gone in another direction.

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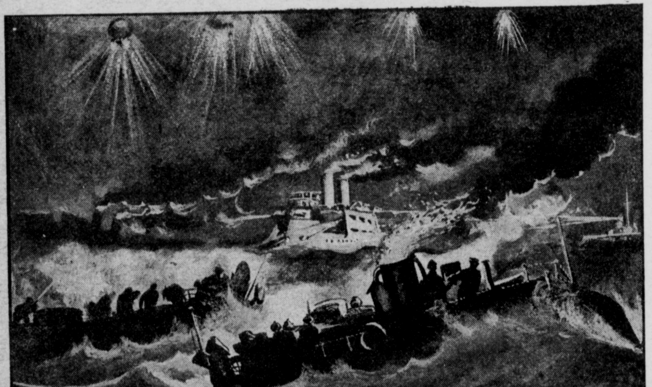

"SUDDENLY LE FEVRE CLUTCHED MY ARM."

## *Maxine Elliott.*

Maxine Elliott, who has taken a house in London and will leave the stage for a time to enjoy social life, is famous as an actress and also for her beauty. Miss Elliott, who, upon the stage, retains her maiden name, under which she became famous, is the wife of Nat C. Goodwin, to whom she was married in 1898. She was born in Rockland, Me., and was but 16 when she first appeared on the stage. Her serious work, however, did not begin until 1890, when she became associated with E. S. Willard. Subsequently she became a member of Daly's stock company and rapidly won distinction, which has been enhanced by her performance in her husband's company. Dramatically and socially she is a great favorite in both the United States and England.

## *Copper in Water Kills Germs.*

In looking to the purification of the water supply, either the local farm supply or the water for a great city, remarkable results are announced from the application of a new method of destroying micro-organisms in water, which was discovered about a year ago by Drs. Moore and Kellerman, of the Bureau of Plant Industry at Washington. It consists simply in dissolving a certain quantity of copper sulphate in the water to be purified. Fortunately the dilution can be made so large that no deleterious effects are produced upon the water intended for drinking purposes. One part of copper sulphate to eight million parts of water is the proportion generally used, and it is pointed out that, in order to obtain any effect of copper from such a mixture a man would have to drink forty gallons of the water.

During the latter part of 1904 more than fifty sources of water supply in the United States were treated by this method with gratifying success. Not only are dangerous bacteria thus destroyed but the green growths that frequently choke up small ponds are also eliminated. Most important of all is the promise that by this treatment the germs of typhoid fever may be entirely removed from any source of water supply.

In the case of a lake or pond the chemical is applied by suspending bags filled with copper sulphate over the side of a boat while the boat is rowed about. In two or three days the copper is entirely precipitated from the water, but the beneficial effects of the treatment last for weeks or months.

It has been suggested that this discovery may raise the question whether, after all, our mothers were not right—although they did not understand the scientific aspects of the matter—in preferring copper kettles for preparing many kinds of food.

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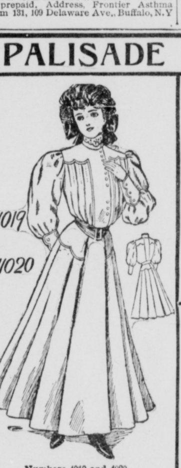

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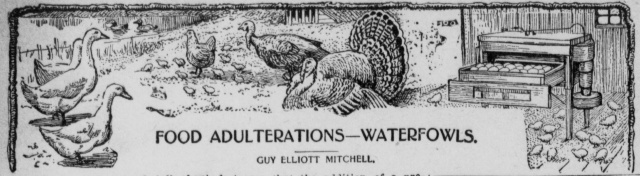


# FOOD ADULTERATIONS—WATERFOWLS.

GUY ELLIOTT MITCHELL.

In these days of so much talk about pure foods, and with the protective legislation by Congress on the subject, the bulletin of the Bureau of Chemistry, Department of Agriculture, on "Some Forms of Food Adulterations and Simple Methods for Their Detection" is very timely.

Since the middle of the last century the subject of food adulteration has attracted a constantly increasing amount of attention. In this country, however, very little was done in this line until about 1880. In 1881 the Division of Chemistry began the study of food adulteration, and since then has given a great deal of time to the subject. Since 1898 the origin and place of manufacture of the foods studied by the Bureau have been carefully noted and special attention also given to imported foods.

In 1883 the first practicable food-inspection law in the United States was enacted in Massachusetts. Since that time other States have enacted and enforced food laws, until at the present time twenty-five States are seriously attempting to regulate the character and quality of the foods sold in their markets. In three additional States laws relating to the purity of dairy products are enforced, and in several others a beginning has been made.

### Food Regulation Abroad.

Food legislation has received much attention abroad and the more advanced foreign countries have effective food laws and enforce them rigidly. The subject of the purity of foods is more widely studied in the United States now than at any previous time. The people as a whole are better informed on the subject than ever before, and there is a constantly increasing demand for definite information. In response to a very large number of inquiries regarding the matter the bulletin of the Bureau of Chemistry has been prepared as a popular statement regarding the nature and extent of food adulteration, and includes simple tests by which the housekeeper or retail dealer may determine some of the more prevalent forms of adulteration practiced.

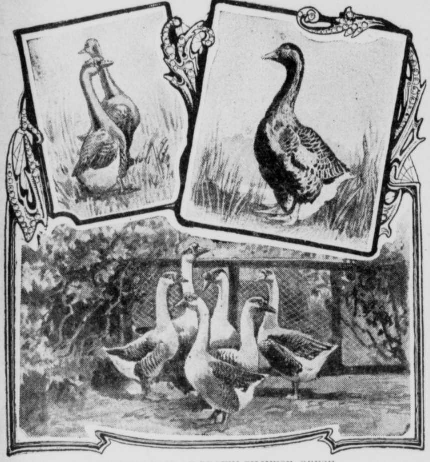
The demand for information on this subject is now very general, and, as is often the case when public interest is deeply aroused, there is an unfortunate tendency toward exaggeration which frequently amounts to sensationalism. Such an attitude is of course to be deplored, and unless it is checked must sooner or later react unfavorably. It is not unusual to speak of some of our typical foods as poisoned, and of the manufacturers as poisoners. Such characterizations are frequently exaggerations to the point of untruth. Deleterious substances are in many cases added to foods. At the same time the word "poison" has a very strong and distinct significance and should not be applied to any one of the substances ordinarily added to foods, except in the sense that they are harmful. The word "poisoner" signifies a person who intentionally and deliberately administers an article intended to result fatally, or at least very disastrously to health.

### The Juggling of Words.

During recent years there has been a tendency to confuse the minds of many by an incorrect use of certain words frequently used in the discussion of foods. It is the policy of some manufacturers to limit the word "adulterated" to foods to which have been added substances of lower value than the foods themselves with the intention of increasing the weight or volume This limitation is certainly not justified by the English language nor by the facts, and such a restriction of the term is entirely unwarranted. The word "adulterated" properly describes a food to which any noncondimental foreign substance, not properly constituting a portion of the food, has been added. The fact that the added substance may be at times of a greater commercial value than the food itself has no bearing on the question. Conversely, the word "pure" is properly applicable to foods that are unmixed with any foreign substance. It may be wholesome or unwholesome, but this property is not indicated by the word "pure" or "adulterated." This definition is not, of course, complete.

The claim is made by some manufacturers that the addition of a preservative to food does not properly constitute adulteration because the preservatives added are of greater commercial value than the foods themselves. Such a claim, however, seems to be nothing but a play upon words. For instance, benzoate of soda has a greater commercial value, weight for weight, than tomatoes, and the claim has been made that for that reason its addition to tomatoes actually increases the expense of the preparation of tomato catsup. As a matter of fact, however, it permits the tomato pulp to be prepared in large quantities and preserved in barrels in a much less expensive way than can be done without its use. It is evident, therefore, that even though the preservative employed is more expensive than the substance to which it is added, the addition is really made for the purpose of cheapening the product. It is not for this reason that such a substance is properly called an adulterant, however, but because it is an added foreign substance and is neither a food nor a condiment. These definitions cannot be emphasized too strongly. Adulterated foods are not necessarily unwholesome foods.

The bulletin published by the Department gives in detail the various kinds of adulterants and additions to the ordinary beverages and foods used in ordinary consumption, and also simple means of detecting the presence of the foreign matter contained in them. The pamphlet should occupy a prominent place in every household library, and can be obtained upon application to the Division of Publications, Department of Agriculture.



A WINNING PAIR OF BROWN CHINESE GEESE.
FIRST PRIZE TOULOUSE GOOSE, Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec., 1095.
GROUP OF BROWN CHINESE GEESE at St. Louis Exposition.

### Water-Fowl in New England.

Broiler ducks are grown by the thousands in several localities of Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Long Island, as well as elsewhere, the greatest number, however, coming from the first named sections. One farm alone during the year just passed marketed 37,000 broiler ducks from its plant. But New England is the home or breeding grounds of the best quality of market geese sold in this country. The most careful, the most determined and the most successful breeders and handlers of high quality market geese are scattered from Rhode Island to the end of Massachusetts.

The old-time common or gray goose has been largely displaced by the stately Embden, Toulouse, African and China species. The Embden and the Toulouse are the result of a union of the efforts of the French and the English. The African, the Hong Kong and the China geese came, perhaps, from the Asiatic countries.

Recently, at the Boston Poultry Show, was exhibited the finest lot of geese that have been shown in this country for all time. One pair of Embden (pure white geese) reached the enormous weight of 58 pounds and the Toulouse (gray market geese) almost equaled them in size. Next to these in quality is the African, so much valued for the rearing of what are known as the mongrel geese.

The white Embden, said to have originated from the visit of a swan to some of the commoner flock of a town of the same name on the Continent, have been carefully bred and selected until they are very large, handsome white geese, which seem to be valued first as a true-bred variety for the producing of feathers and market poultry. The Toulouse that came from France are fully their equal in every way, except that the feathers are gray or mixed with gray instead of pure white.

What is known as the wild or Canada goose, mated with an African, produces the mongrel goose, so highly valued in the Eastern markets from Thanksgiving through Christmas times. When the Canada gander and the African goose become properly mated they will be constant one to the other to the end of their existence, growing each year one or two broods of mongrel geese that are ready for market during Thanksgiving and Christmas times and dress to a weight at this age heavier than either of the parent pair. The quality of the meat is excellent, the price obtained ranging from $2.75 to $4 each, according to the season and the quality and finish of the individual specimens themselves.

These, with the Embden, the Toulouse and the China geese furnish the high-priced geese for the winter markets. No one of these of the better qualities is ever sold for less than 28 to 30 cents per pound, and there is a ready sale for all of them offered at these prices. In addition to these, thousands of geese are gathered from as far north as Nova Scotia, down through all the States of the Western part of the country, into New England, where large fattening yards are conducted. These yards are large plants with lots, something like the stock yards of the large cities, only smaller in size. The geese are placed in the enclosures and fed for heavyweight and fine finish to be dressed for market. As many as 10,000 geese are gathered at one or two points in Massachusetts, and fed in this way for the winter markets. It takes several weeks to properly finish them and new supplies are constantly coming in to replace those that are sold off. The profitable demand for geese of this kind extends over a period of from nine to twelve weeks, beginning just before Thanksgiving and ending in January.

No attempt has yet been made in this country for the excessive fattening of geese, such as is carried on in Germany, those so fattened with us being only prepared to a finish for roasting, nor has fattening or feeding for the excessive size of the livers ever gained any consideration here. The major per cent. of all the geese brought into the markets for general consumption are sold and the demand for them ceases by the middle of January. Following this, comes the sale of the capons and the virgin cockerels, so highly prized in New England.

The scientific part of the handling of geese is growing them to a condition where the feathers are just right to be plucked from the carcass without having the bad appearance that of necessity must be present if there is a large amount of down or short feathers showing. Geese, to be properly marketed at their best, should be plucked at the right time, then fed and cared for so as to be ready for killing just as the new growth of plumage is full and complete and ready to be stripped clean and clear from the body at killing time. This is the scientific part, next to the experience in the handling, feeding and caring for, which bring such large numbers to the finest finish and most desirable condition for selling in the market.

It is a sight one would never forget to see eight or ten thousand of these geese confined in lots or runways being fed and cared for by attendants to bring them to that perfection of market poultry not usually seen outside of New England and New York City.

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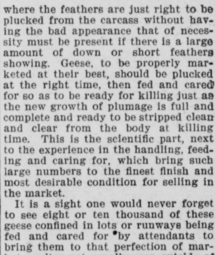
WHITE EMBDEN GEESE.



PAIR OF GRAY AFRICAN GEESE.

### Feeds Fowls Automatically.

A farmer in Oregon, who owns a small poultry farm, has devised a novel method of feeding his chickens during his absence. In each yard he has erected troughs to hold food for the hens, and these are connected by wire with an alarm clock in the farmhouse. When the owner leaves home in the morning he sets the alarm clock at the hour of feeding the chickens, and by an ingenious arrangement, when the time arrives, the alarm goes off, the connecting wire releases the troughs, and the food is spread before the hungry fowls.

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### Why Land is a Good Investment.

The statistician of the Department of Agriculture of the United States estimates that in 1931 the population of this country will be 130,000,000, and the census bureau agrees that this is a conservative estimate. To supply the requirements of this number of people will necessitate the production of 700,000,000 bushels of wheat, 1,250,000,000 bushels of oats, 345,000,000 bushels of corn, 100,000,000 tons of hay; and cotton, tobacco and fruits and vegetables in proportion. To produce this immensely increased quantity of food and kindred products will necessitate the bringing under cultivation of an additional 150,000,000 acres of land, and it is estimated that we have only 108,000,000 acres available for cultivation. Of course these estimates do not take into account the efforts of Secretary Wilson, of the Department of Agriculture, whereby every acre will eventually produce double its present crop.

Nevertheless these statistics present matters for serious reflection, and should bring it home to every thoughtful man that good agricultural land today offers the best and safest investment on earth and that there can be no better object in life than a determination on the part of every citizen to acquire at least enough of Mother Earth to ensure him a living for himself and his family through his own individual efforts.

### Selling Chicks a Day Old.

The hatching of chicks in quantities and then selling them direct to poultry breeders and fanciers is a business that is developing all over the country, largely doing away with the bother of sitting hens and the detail and attention entailed by operating an incubator. The plan is simplicity itself. Experienced incubator operators put in substantial hatching plants solely for the production and immediate disposition of chicks direct to poultry people, both amateur and professional. For the most part the new method possesses some range in its application. It has been found that day-old chicks will bear shipment to a considerable distance, and that a car ride of from ten to fifteen and twenty hours is not considered extra hazardous. Prices for day-old chicks are a matter of barter between seller and buyer, something depending on the breeds and strains, but usually ranging $1.50 and up per dozen.

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### The Biggest Spider.

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If no dealer in your city has our goods in stock, we send, **Free on ten days Trial one Fischer Bunion Protector** and you take absolutely no risk. You need not even send postage. We assume every expense. If at the end of the trial period you are not relieved you return the protector to us. That ends the transaction. But if you desire to keep the protector you will remit to us 50 cents for the one you have and 50 cents for one for the other foot if you need it, if you are one of the 84 per cent.

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My St. and No..............................
City..............................
State..............Size of Shoe............

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D. H. Severs was at home Sunday.

Mr. Clint Murray was here las week.

Jno. D. Babbge, Jr., was in Danville Sunday.

Dr. Keene, of Owensboro, will be here June 4.

Mrs. Eugene Haynes was in Louisville last week.

Rev. Graves, of Irvington, was in the city last week.

Go to Conrad Sippel's shoe store for fine spring shoes.

Mrs. J. M. Cordrey was in Louisville last Wednesday.

Mr. J. D. Cooper was here from Hawesville last week.

Mrs. John Burn and daughter were in Louisville last week.

Mrs. Chas Hammon and daughter were in Louisville last week.

Mrs. T. S. Nicholas and daughter were in Hawesville last week.

Mrs. Wm. Smith, of Cannelton, has been the guset of Mrs. J. A. Ross.

Mrs. Luther Hendrick of Clover Creek is the guest of Mrs. Jeff Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harris and son, Edward, were in Louisville last week.

Mrs. Chas. Evans and mother, Mrs. Geary, were down from Louisville last week.

Complete line of shoes and oxfords for men, women and children at Conrad Sippel's.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Conrad and little son, Samuel Edward, went to Leavenworth, Ind., Sunday.

Mrs. John Weisenberg and son were in Stephensport Sunday the guest of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Hanks.

Mrs. Nora Wroe and Miss Effie Bruner, of Chambers, were here last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wroe.

Mrs. Joe Harpole arrived in the city last week from Louisville to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moorman.

Rev. B. M. Currie left Monday for Nelo, Ky., to spend this week with his wife and family, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs G. A. Endailey.

French sailors in Milons and Chips. A new line juts received—Mrs. J. M. Cordrey.

Misses Verna Ryan and Nina Weatherholt were over from Tobinsport attending the Commencement. Miss Ryan was the guest of Mrs J. D. Gregory and Miss Weatherholt the guest of Miss Maud Polk.


# SHYLOCK

Shylock was the man who wanted a pound of human flesh. There are many Shylocks now, the convalescent, the consumptive, the sickly child, the pale young woman, all want human flesh and they can get it—take Scott's Emulsion.

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Dr. Keene, of Owensboro,, will be here June 4. Have your dentistry done by him.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Skillman wer here from Hardinsburg Wednesday the guest of relatives

Miss Nellie Whitehouse and mother were the guests of Owen Whitehouse at Louisville Sunday and Monday.

The right thing in millinery at Mrs J. M. Cordrey's A new line of french sailors just received.

The infant boy baby of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen died Monday afternoon. The burial took place in the Cloverport cemetery. The baby was just a week old.

John Vest, of Kansas City, who spent a few days in Hardinsburg last week was here Friday enroute to Louisville.

Remember the spelling bee and strawberry supper to be given Tuesday May 29 by the ladies of the Presbyterian church.

O. C. Shellman, Stephensport. sold to W. H. Payne a span on fine mares for $300. Mr. Payne bought of Chas. Bohler a mare for $150.

Miss Mannie White left Tuesday morning for Memphis, Tenn., where she will be the guest of relatives for several weeks.

Mrs. B. M. Currie and children, who have been the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Endailey, of Nelo, will return home this week.

Walter Graham was at home Monday. Walter says the report in several of the papers about him being hurt at Owensboro is a mistake and that the man who was hurt is of another name.

Mrs. Sarah Van Winkle, of German Ridge, Ind., was here Monday after noon enroute to Addison to visit relatives. Mrs. Van Winkle has been visiting in Tell City. Cannelton and Tobinsport.

Miss Emma Skillman, of Shrewsberry. Grayson county, and Miss Merna Bartley, Stephensport, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Skillman returned home Monday morning.

Mr. A. R. Fisher had at his drug store Monday a beautiful bunch of roses sent down by Mrs. Mary DeHaven. The flowers were particulary noticable because of their large size. Mr. Fisher says they were the largest roses he had ever seen.

Home-Coming Week for Kentucky, Louisville, Ky., June 15-17—Account this ooccasion a rate of $2:50 from Cloverport to Louisville and return will be made on June 11—12—13. Return limit June 23. On payment of 50c return limit may be extended 30 days from date of sale.

The Miller brick yard is in operation, making 35,000 brick per day, which is about half of the plant's capacity. A new cutter will be put in, raising the out put to about 60,000 brick per day. A kiln of brick is now being burned. Mr. John Morris Gregory is the burner.

# DOCTORS MEET.

Hardinsburg, Ky., May 18.—The regular meeting of the Breckenridge County Medical Society was called to order by the Secretary, John E. Kincheloe, in the Kincheloe building at 10 a. m., May 18, with the following members present:

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| L. B. Moorman, | W. L. Milner, |
| J. C. Tucker, | J. E. Mathews, |
| J. T. Baker, | D. S Spire, |
| A. M. Kincheloe, | J. W. Meador, |
| John E. Kincheloe. | |

## NEW LAW FIRM.

Mr. V. G. Babbage, of this city, has associated himself in the practice of law with Mr. James S. Wortham of Leitchfield. These gentlemen will handle any business entrusted to them in the Circuit Court of this county and also any matters in the Court of Appeals of the State. Mr. Wortham is well known in this county and no one in this judicial district stands higher in the legal profession than he. His knowledge of law has been acquired by over tweny five years of experience in the different courts and a close application and study of all of its details. The new firm will doubtless receive a liberal share of—the legal business.

**Chism-Stanpfield.**

Irvington, Ky., May 22.—At the "Manse" of Rev. E. W. Graves on last Tuesday evening Miss Ida Chism and Mr. Dick Standfield were very quietly and solemnly married. The News extends congratulations.


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# INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK.

Hardinsburg—Special—May 21.—Th Bank of Hardinsburg has called a meeting of its stock holders and directors for Monday, June the 4th, for the purpose of amending its charter to permit it to do a trust business in connection with its banking business In order to do this it will be necessary for the bank to increase its capital stock to $50.000. It is proposed to do this by voting a stock dividend of 100 per cent. to be issued to its present stock holders. This it can do as its surplus and undivided profits are ample to enable it to do this.

# THREE CHEERS FOR FITCH.

City counicl met Monday night adjourned meeting.

M. F. Popham applied for license. Mr. Popham not having State license, the Council was legally advised not to grant him a local license. Fitch put a motion before the house to postpone action on the matter until June 1. The motion received no second. McCracken moved then that the Council would grant the license after the gentleman had secured a State license and fully complied with the law. A short discussion came up and in the meantime Reid moved the same motion McCracken made, worded differently. McCracken withdrew his motion and seconded that of Reid's. Reid, McCracken, Hook, O'Connell and Barry voted in favor of the motion and Fitch against it.

The Messrs Miller were allowed until the next regular meeting to take action on the erection of the electric light plant.

All representative of the electric light company said to the News that most likely the plant would be operated in connection with the Miller Brick & Tile plant and the decision about the matter was causing the present delay. There is no doubt but what the plant will be built.


**V. G. BABBAGE,**
Cloverport Ky.

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Leitchfield, Ky.

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# Wants.

Advertisements inserted under this head at one cent a word per week.

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STRAYED OR STOLEN--From my pasture a bay mare, heavy built, with a star in the forehead, about 15 hands high. If anyone has seen her or knows where I can find her, if they will notify me I will pay them for their trouble. J. D. Jordan, Bewleyville, Ky.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE--All persons indebeted the estate of Susan P. Quisenberry are requested to present their claims properly proven for payment, also those knowing themselves indebted to the estat will please settle same with the undersigned Sam P. Jackson, Admr.

SEND--Your order for building material to The Cloverport Planing Mill. We are making cut prices to reduce stock.

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One way Colonist rates to California and Northwest Feb. 15 to April 7 and Sep, 15 to Oct. 31, 1906.

## NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, Owensboro Division.

In the matter of William H. Doran Bankrupt. } In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of William H. Doran of Big Spring, in the County of Breckinridge and District aforesaid, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1906, the said Doran was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the law office of Mercer & Mercer in Hardinsburg, Kentucky, on the 29th day of May, A. D., 1906, at two p. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the Bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

J. A. DEAN,
May 19, 1906. Referee in Bankruptcy

## EKRON.

Every body invited to attend the strawberry and ice cream supper to be given here on the afternoon and night of June 2 for the benefit of Ekron Baptist church by the Ladies Aid.

## IRVINGTON.

Mrs. George Woolfolk, of St Louis, arrived Friday night to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sam Parks, for several days.

The Sunday School convention held at Webster last Saturday was largely attended by the Irvington people and they reported an excellent convention.

Miss Essie Biggs left Friday for a ten days visit to relatives at Evansville.

Dr. P. E Dempster left last Tuesday for French Lick Springs for a two weeks outing for his health.

Miss Minnie Basham left for her home at Vine Grove after being the guest of Miss Cecil Spradlin.

A large baraca class was organized by Miss Iva Mudd at the Baptist Sunday school last Sunday morning.

Mrs. G. L. Brady has returned from Louisville after a three month's visit the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Tony McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Robbins, of Evansville, came Sunday to spend several days the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Robbins.

Miss Mayme DeHaven entertained the graduating class of the Cloverport High School Saturday morinng. Her visitor Miss Goreing, of Hawesville, was the guest of honor.


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# WANTED

A good, energetic boy is wanted at the NEWS office to learn the printer's trade. Right pay to the right boy.

The NEWS has an opening for some young lady over 16 years of age with common school education.

## FIRST RIVER SHOW OF THE SEASON.

Once more the show boat season has come. The multi toned calliopes and the brass band will make the barefooted boy lay down the hoe and run to the river to get the first glance of the first boat. His pa will command him to come back to his roe but to no avail. "The show boat is coming and I'se goin' see it first," and off the boy is gone to the river. The boat is far up the river's bend but the barefooted boy waits anxiously in the baking sun for its arrival. The calliope begins to play "There'll be a Hot Time In the Old town To-night" and the little fellow's feet are no longer under his control. He begins to dance and cut all kind of capers and unconscieniously makes a pretty good show out of himself. He dances about while the music goes on. The great steam piano changes its tune from the raggest of rag time and strikes up on "Annie Laura" and then the boy gets solemn and begins thinking of how well he would like to have one of those "perserved seats up next to the band."

Mr. S. J. Allen represents French's New Sensatiion as advance agent this year. He travels in a launch 25 feel long and finely fitted up. Mr. Allen traveled with the show he represents as an actor for 28 years and is now on the road as a little diversion, saying that he nad gotten to portly for an actor's role. French's is coming here on May 25, which is next Friday night, with 45 people, many new acts and the best band they have ever had on the river.

The general impression is out that the show boat industry is an unlimited money-maker. It has been stated that Mr. French died a millionire and left a very large estate. Mr. Allen says that all of this is a mistake and that there is only a moderate living for the man who runs a river show. He said that there were too many boats on the waters for any one boat to make a great deal of money.

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## LONESOME MOMENTS OF THE AGENT

French's New Sensation
Friday May 25.

Father said that French's Show
Was coming to us soon,
And mother said that we could go
To see the funny coon
For French's show is noted,
To have the best afloat.
The swell, large and roomy seats
In their grand theatre boat.
Its lighted by electricity,
And cooled with electric fans,
Sweet and soothing music
Are rendered by the band.
Uncle Abe and Tillie,
And little cousin Sue,
Will sit up in the gallary
An see the whole show through.
Aunt Ella, with her children,
Will buy seats close to the stage,
Where she can see the handsome girls.
That put people in a rage.
With all their costly wardrobe
And fancy golden laces,
Gliding lightly on the stage,
With pretty smiling faces.
Sister teams are plentyful,
And the acts they do are new,
No doubt that they will please you
For with the show there's two.
But anyhow we are going to see
Our favorite New Sensation,
For it has always been the best
On the Hudson of the west.
So get your folks together,
All your cousins and your aunts,
Enjoy yourself in a youthful way,
With the music, song, and dance,

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See that your druggist gives you no imitation when you ask for Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar, the original Laxative cough syrup. All druggists.

Truth-telling is a virtue upon which we should not only insist in the schools and at home, but in business and in politics just as much.

## FORTIFIES SHOP. AGAINST FLIES.

Fred May, our hustling young meat market man, has fortified his shop against the summer's flies ... weather beasts. He h... shop screened from f... moved the fixings ... to the corner ...

## PETER BEST'S CHAIN FACTORY.

A deal has been almost completed between Jas. H. Parrish and Peter Best, Jr., of Lewisport, which will mean the establishment of another factory in Seven Hills. Mr. Parrish has taken up with Mr. Best the chair factory proposition which hung fire before the Business Men's association, and it is understood that a verbal argeement has already been reached between the two men, although the papers have not yet been drawn up.

Thirty lots wil be sold in Seven Hills, of which Mr. Best and his father will take three. An acre of ground wil be given Mr. Best for the erection of his factory and $1,090 will be furnished him with a lien upon his machinery until he has paid out $20,000 in wages to local employers. The factory will be erected on the I. C. railroad, just beyond the Vollman Buggy Body company.

Mr. Best was in Owensboro last week and stated that he would begin the erection of his factory and a residence as soon as the deal with Mr. Parrish could be consummated. He conducted a very successful chair factory in Lewisport until a few months ago.—Owensboro Messenger.

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## PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

W. E. Brown, one of the oldest and best known merchants of Irvington, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States Court, at Owensboro. This step is taken by Mr. Brown because of his inability to realize money on his assets to enable him to satisfy his indebetdness, without a great sacrifice in the value of his property. His liabilities, are approximately $75,000, and his assets are over $10,000. Under judicious management this step will enable his estate to be settled without the exepense and sacrifice of law suits and will enable every creditor to get every dollar of his indebtedness, besides leaving him a comfortable sum of money and his home in Irvington.—Meade Messenger.

Why take a dozen things to cure that cough. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar allays the congestion, stops that tickling, drives the cold out through your bowels. Sold by all druggists.

## THERE MAY BE NO SALOONS IN NEW 'FRISCO.

San Francisco, May 11.—That the authorities here have no intention of loosening the reins which have held the liquor dealers in check since the city suffered its great disaster was made plain to day by an emphatic declaration from Mayor Schmitz that all drinking places will be closed for an indefinite period He attributed the remarkable absence of crime and the exceptional order which has prevailed since the conflagation to the fact that the edict against the selling of liquor had been rigidly enforced.

The stand of the Mayor was emphasized, when the Board of Police Commissioners met and unanimously indorsed a suggestion made by the Mayor that all saloon licenses be revoked.

The Commissioners were a unit that the future welfare of the city would be enhanced by fewer drinking places. A number of saloon proprietors have in course of construction temporary buildings. To these the Commissioners issued a warning advising them that the number of saloon licenses to be issued in the future would be greatly curtailed, and that it was unwise for them to incur any expense in the way of temporary building operations.

In San Mateo, just over the county line the supervisors recently allowed the saloon man to open. The results are disastrous. Thousands of men and woman flocked there and indulged in drunken gorgies, and the nearest approach to riotous conditions that has existed since the great catastrophe followed. Chief of Police Dinan appealed to Sheriff Mansfied, of San Mateo County, to close all groge shops within his jurisdiction, and to-day the Sheriff said that he would do so even it it becomes necessary for him to go to the militia for aid.

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The Breckenridge News

### Rapid Spread of Plants.

It is marvelous how rapidly some plants will spread themselves over wide stretches of land. The writer was struck with the way in which the yellow charlock took possession of the line when the Meon Valley railway was being made. The very next spring after the embankments were thrown up their sides were clothed with this rampant and conspicuous crucifier. A line of yellow across the country marked in many places the course of the railway. Poppies, too, for some unknown reason, will occasionally appear in strange and wonderful profusion. The striking instance related by Lord Macaulay may be quoted by way of illustration. After the battle of Landen the ground, he tells us, "during many months was strewn with skulls and bones of men and horses and with fragments of hats and shoes, saddles and holsters. The next summer the soil, fertilized by 20,000 corpses, broke forth into millions of poppies. The traveler who, on the road from St. Tron to Tirlemont, saw that vast sheet of rich scarlet spreading from Landen to Neerwinder could hardly help fancying that the figurative prediction of the Hebrew prophet was literally accomplished—that the earth was disclosing her blood and refusing to cover the stain."—Longman's Magazine.

### A Zuni Baby.

The Zuni child spends his early days in a cradle. But a cradle in Zuniland does not mean down pillows, silken coverlets and fluffy laces; it is only a flat board, just the length of the baby, with a hood like a doll's buggy top over the head. Upon this hard bed the baby is bound like a mummy, the coverings wound round and round him until the little fellow cannot move except to open his mouth and eyes. Sometimes he is unrolled and looks out into the bare whitewashed room, blinks at the fire burning on the hearth and fixes his eyes earnestly on the wolf and cougar skins that serve as chairs and beds and carpets in the Zuni home. By the time he is two or three years old he has grown into a plump little bronze creature, with the straightest of coarse black hair and the biggest and roundest of black eyes. He is now out of the cradle and trots about the house and the village. When the weather is bad he wears a small coarse shirt and always a necklace of beads or turquoise.—St. Nicholas.

### A Thousand Ways of Lying.

There are a thousand ways of lying, but all lead to the same end. It does not matter whether you wear lies, tell lies, act lies or live lies, your character is ruined all the same.

There is no more demoralizing influence in modern life than the unnatural straining to seem other than we are. Nothing else so quickly lowers self respect, takes the fine edge off honor and blunts the conscience as the sense of being a ... a gilded fraud or an unre... It cheapens standards, lo... ambition and t... the spring and joy out of livi... make the most ... himself until he is ab... with his own soul and ... to his highest ... is impossible while he ...

### ... Woman at Home.

... up for visitors ... is always on ...

cotton or muslin nightgown, rose or yellow being her favorite shade, her bare feet thrust into slippers very much down at the heel and a flower stuck in her wisp of uncombed hair, which, from a continual use of henna dye, is apt to break out in patches of yellow, green or gray. Hairbrushes are unknown, a very coarse comb alone being used, which may account for the fact that the hair is never glossy or well kept. She has a devouring passion for paints, powders and perfumes, attar of roses and sandalwood being in special demand.—Pilgrim.

### A Tree Distillery.

On the Canary islands grows a fountain tree, a tree most needed in some parts of the islands. It is said that the leaves constantly distill a quantity of water that is sufficient to furnish drink to every living creature in Hiero, nature having provided this remedy for the drought of the island. Every morning near this part of the island a cloud of mist arises from the sea, which the winds force against the steep cliff on which this tree grows, and it is from the mist that the tree distills the water.

### Proved It.

"My wife will bear witness," said the prisoner at the bar, "that at the very time I am accused of burglarizing Mr. Smith's premises I was engaged in walking the floor with my infant child in my arms, endeavoring to soothe it by singing 'Rock-a-by, Baby.'"

"The prisoner is discharged," remarked his honor. "He can prove a lullaby."

### Waiting Instead of Going.

The art in life is to sit still and to let things come toward you, not to go after them or even to think that they are in flight. How often I have chased some divine shadow through a whole day till evening, when, going home tired, I have found the visitor just turning away from my closed door.—Arthur Symons in Saturday Review.

### Your Advertising.

See that your clerks know all about your advertising plans. Some clerks would never know that you were advertising if you waited for them to read the advertisements voluntarily.—American Advertiser.

There is no great genius without a tincture of madness.—Seneca.

### He Was Insane.

A representative from New York enjoys nothing better than to recount a story which, he declares, he had from an official in the pension bureau. One day, so the tale runs, the bureau was in receipt of an extraordinary communication from the west, in which the writer, among other things, made this astounding statement:

"I am now drawing a pension of $25 a month. Recently the Lord has prospered me; so, being convinced that I am not entitled of right to this money, I desire that my name be stricken off the roll."

As soon ... the bureau recovered in a measure ... intelligence an ... was set on foot. The ... ported ...

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### The Horsefly.

The horsefly is the most cruel and bloodthirsty of the entire fly family. He is armed with a most formidable weapon, which consists of four lancets so sharp and strong that they will penetrate leather. He makes his appearance in June. The female is armed with six lancets, with which she bleeds both cattle and horses and even human beings.—Colman's Rural World.

### Procrastination.

"One of the greatest evils in life," said the elderly woman, "is procrastination."

"I think so, too," replied the young married woman. "I don't see the sense of putting off your golden wedding anniversary till you are sixty or seventy years old."

### Her Postscript.

"Dear Mr. Hicks," she wrote, "I am sorry that what you ask I cannot grant. I cannot become your wife.—Yours sincerely, Ethel Burrows." Then she added: "P.S.—On second thought, dear George, I will marry you. Do come up tonight and see your own true Ethel."

### Buried Treasure.

Medium—I can tell you about a buried treasure. Patron—Please don't! My husband is always tooting that in my ears. Medium—Does he know anything about a buried treasure? Patron—Yes; his first wife.

### Mistaken Identity.

Sir Thomas Robinson was a tall, uncouth man, and his appearance was rendered still more striking by his hunting dress, which consisted of a tight green jacket, buckskin breeches and a postilion's cap. He once set off in his hunting suit to pay a visit to his sister in Paris. He arrived at the house while there was a large company at dinner. The servant announced M. Robinson, and in walked this remarkable figure, to the amazement of the guests. One of them, a French abbe, lifted his fork three times to his mouth and each time laid it down without tasting the food. Unable at last to restrain his curiosity longer, he burst out eagerly, "Excuse me, monsieur, are you the famous Robinson Crusoe so remarkable in history?"—London Times.

### How He Was Identified.

Josiah Quincy of Boston told with glee of how he was once identified by a laborer who was enlightening a friend. "That is Josiah Quincy," said the first laborer.

"An' who is Josiah Quincy?" demanded the other.

"Don't ye know who Josiah Quincy is?" demanded the first man. "I niver saw sich ignorance. Why, he's the grandson of the statue out there in the yard."

### Superfluous Qualification.

"Who's that unhappy looking fellow over there?"

"That's Scribblers. He writes for the funny papers."

"He doesn't look as though he had any sense of humor."

"Who said he had?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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The passing of the pass is the best proof that the palmy days of the lobby are on the wane.

The Breckenridge News.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1906.

## FROM A SCHOOL TEACHER.

Patesville, Ky., Mr. John D. Babbage, Editor of the Breckenridge News. Dear Sir.—I have come to speak a word or two, with people who claim to be christians; and sinners, also. Now, we, who cliam to know Christ; we are supposd to do good and lead others to Christ. But do we do it? Are we doing our duty as christian people ought to, and expecting to go to Heaven when we die? I fear all of us don't do as God commands. I fear "money" is the order of the day. And if we neglect the the love of God, for money, what have we in the end? Nothing. For what is money, compared with God? What is it? I say. Will it take you to heaven? Can you take money with you when you die? Oh! God! awaken such people from their slumbers, for they know not what they do. It is all true, that we have to have money to buy this world's goods, but it should not by all means, keep us from worshipping the God, who created all things. I believe God gave and created us money to live on, or, to buy this world's goods with, but I don't believe he gave it to us to go crazy over and send our souls to torment for its sake. People who have not much money in this world, are not noticed by those who have. But thank God, His love is free to all. If we can't live in the city, and wear fine clothes, and have money to throw away and go along the streets, not noticing a living soul that we meet, we can go to our country churches and worship God, as every one should.

Instead of every body, (both rich and poor,) going along and treating one another as human beings, they go along with their heads up, never speaking to a living soul. Does the Bible teach such, I would love for some one to show me a place in the Bible, where it is laid down. God says:—"Love thy neighbor." Do we keep his commandment? I fear some of us get together and almost curse their neighbor, because their boys and girls are sweethearts. Does the Bible teach that? If we see our friends or neighbors do something, which we think is not right, we run around telling every one we see or meet about it instead of going to the one who did the wrong.

Now is that a christian act? I have heard before now, of people having such a long tongue as to stand in the front yard gate, and lick the bread pan in the kitchen.

Do we, (anyone and everyone) ever think of "Death"? This world is going to be destroyed some day, are we prepared to meet God in peace. The Bible says, "Ye know not the day nor the hour in which the son of man cometh. Not even the angles in heaven know." Why then do we idle our time away for the sake of pleasure and money.

We go on from day to day, as tho we would live on earth forever. But our lives are only compared to a brittle thread. In a moment this thread may be broken, and are our souls going to a better or a worse place of abode.

If Christ shall come at the dawn or midnight, will he find us watching then?

"Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old, he will not depart from it." Do we train our children for future life or let them raise them selves? How many people try to keep the "Ten Commandments?" I don't suppose God, gave us those commandments to look at or to feed to the fowls and stock. Do you?

I believe in parents being gentle with their children instead of harsh. Because some time, harshness causes disobedience and ill-nature.

How many of us church members, are christian people. Just merely being a church member, won't save any one's soul. Let us do little labors of love. We are all brother's and sisters, if we are descendants of Adam and Eve. Let us love for God, and think about where we will go after leaving this world.

God says:—"Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life."

Some people drive their children up and send them out to Sunday-school, and never try to teach them why we have it, or what they go for; and these innocent children grow up and think they go to "see, and be seen," in Sunday school and church. Other people send their children to the every-day schools to whip the teacher. They say, "you just go on over there and if you cant whip that teacher, I can and if you don't whip him, I'll whip you.

Then of course these children don't know that they are going to school to obtain an education they think they are going to whip the teacher and we needn't wonder why we don't have better citizens.

Hoping, trusting, and praying, that we will all meet in the "Sweet Bye and Bye," I am yours truly.

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## CORDIAL INVITATION

### ADDRESSED TO WORKING GIRLS

**Miss Barrows Tells How Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Helps Working Girls.**

Girls who work are particularly susceptible to female disorders, especially those who are obliged to stand on their feet from morning until night in stores or factories.

Day in and day out the girl toils, and she is often the bread-winner of the family. Whether she is sick or well, whether it rains or shines, she must get to her place of employment, perform the duties exacted of her—smile and be agreeable.

Among this class the symptoms of female diseases are early manifest by weak and aching backs, pain in the lower limbs and lower part of the stomach. In consequence of frequent wetting of the feet, periods become painful and irregular, and frequently there are faint and dizzy spells, with loss of appetite, until life is a burden. All these symptoms point to a derangement of the female organism which can be easily and promptly cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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## CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAMME.

Program for Children's Day exercises at Hudson on the fourth Sunday in May 1906.

10 o'clock. Welcome address by W. S. Proctor.

10:20 Response by John P. Haswell, Jr.

10:40. Song by children.

10:50. The Sunday-school and Its Aims by Rev. C. M. Buckhanan.

11:20 Song by choir.

11:33 The Superintendent and His Duty—Rev. J. W. Hoskinson.

DINNER.

1 P. M. Song by the school.

1:15 Recitations by the children.

2 P. M. The Teacher and their Duties. by W. S. Proctor.

2:25. Talk by Superintendent.

2 :45. Song by choir.

3 P. M. Remenissences by Judge N. McMercer of Hardinsburg.

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You cannot have good health unless your kidneys are sound, for the kidneys filter the blood of impurities which otherwise act erritating poisons and break down the delicate organs of the body and cause serious trouble. If you have kidney or bladder trouble and do not use Foley's Kidney Cure, you will have only yourself to blame for results, as it positively cures all forms of kidney and bladder diseases.

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Memories of a gentle mother
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Brother, dear and kind
Who southed my childish fear,
And led me by the hand
Along the vale of years.

Sister's tender and true,
Wher'er my footsteps roam
I will always think of you
In that good old home.

There I left a' sister, brother,
When I became a bride,
There in dreams my gentle mother
Comes and watches by my side.

And sweet Fannie, too, is there
To cheer the lonely hours
While I gladden another home
She is roaming amid the flowers.

With every wish at her command,
May God shield her from all harm
While I wander in a foreign land
And lean upon a loved one's arm.

How sad to think of the past,
Of the scenes in that dear old home
Too bright, too beautiful to last.
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## DEPOT PROPERTY DRESSED UP.

Spring cleaning was going in at the Henderson Route depot last week and the station put on a brighter appearance for it. Dudley Walker, colored, cut the grass, trimmed up the vines, and added a lick of work here and there. Cloverport's depot is the pride of the town and every one begins to regret when they see it unkept. The town has been fortunate though and the Henderson Route has taken as much pride in the place as the town and always has had it kept in first class condition.

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## THE JUNE SMART SET.

"The Hesitation of Gisella," by Edith Macvane, is the title of the novelette which opens the June number of The Smart Set. It is a charming story, the scenes of which are laid in France; the period, however, is modern and the story is of an appealing character which will win for it many admirers.

Mary Austin, so well known for her stories of the shepherds on the western plains, contributes to this number one of her best tales, entitled "At Tio Juan." It is a tragedy in miniature worked out with remarkable skill. Arthur Stanley Weeler is again a contributor; "The Violin" is a ghost story, thoroughly fascinating. Amos De Lany is a new writer, but his contribution, "The Strength of His Arms," will cause his name to be remembered. Robert McDonald's "The Reformation of Bily Henderson," is a delightfully humorous tale, and "The Making of a Man," by Edna Kenton, will please a host of readers. Arthur Stringer is at his best in "Three Women and Love," and there are other stories by Mabel Herbert Urner, E. J. Rath, Lelia Burton Wells, Charles Battell Loomis and Anna Warner, besides a story in the original French.

Bliss Carman is the author of the essay, "The Golden Age," and in it his exquisite prose style is revealed at its best. The poetry is unusually attractive. Reginald Wright Kauffman, Ruby Archer, Charlotte Becker, Theodosia Garrison, Clinton Scollard and Madeline Bridges are among the versifiers whose work appears.

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could not bring as much happiness to Mrs. Lucia Wilke, of Caroline, Wis., as did one 25c box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, when it completey cured a running sore on her leg, which had tortued her 23 long years. Greatest antiseptic healer of Piles, Wounds, and Sores. 25 c Short & Hayne's Drug store.

**Epperson an Orator.**

Columbia, Ky., May 17.—Mr. Earl Russell Epperson, of Louisville, who is a student of Center College, Danville, delivered an oration, subject "Ever Present Problems," before a large audience at the Presbyterian church in this place last night. He is a captivating orator, pleasing all his hearers.

Mr. Epperson is known in Cloverport, having been here last year on a Government surveying boat. He is known to the younger set.

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Pa—My son, it is that quality in woman which makes her think either a horse or a baby will win the race because it has such a cute name.

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The richest man in the world can not have his kidneys replaced nor live without them so it is important not to neglect these organs. If Foley's Kidney Cure is taken at the first sign of danger, the symptoms will disappear and your health will be restored, as it strengthens and builds up these organs as nothing else will. Oscar Bowman, Lebanon, Ky., writes: "I have used Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it cured me permanently of kidney disease, which certainly would have cost me my life.

Missouri will send larger delegation to the Kentucky home coming than any other state.

**Postmaster Robbed.**

G. W. Fouts, Postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters; which cured me and have kept me well for eleven years." Sure cure for Biliousness, Neuralgia." Weakness and all Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bladder derangements. A wonderful Tonic. At Short & Hayne's Drug store. 50 cents.

Senators Bailey and Tillman are scanning the horizon for Republican convertist of the Democrtic party which is like waiting with a skimmer to catch larks when the sky falls.

**Fortunate Missourians.**

"When I was a druggist, at Livonia, Mo.," writes T. J. Dwyer, now of Graysonville, Mo., "three of my customers were permanently cured of consumption by Dr. King's New Discovery, and are well and strong today. One was trying to sell his property and move to Arizonia, but after using New Discovery a short time he found it necessary to do so. I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as the most wonderful medicine in existance." Surest Cough and Cold cure and throat and Lung healer. Guaranteed by Short & Haynes, Druggists. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

**Made the Bear Work.**

Bill Winters uses his wit to save his strength. During a camping trip in the Maine woods Bill was easily the laziest man in the party. Finally his exasperated comrades told him that if he did not kill something besides time they would pack him off home. The next morning Bill borrowed a rifle and went off up the mountains. Two hours later the men in camp saw Bill running down again as fast as he could come, and close behind him was a bear. The men watched the chase, with loaded rifles ready. On reaching camp Bill turned and shot the bear. When the men could stop laughing one of them said, "Bill, what on earth possessed you to run that distance with the bear so close when you might have killed him on the hill and saved your breath?" Bill smiled slowly. "What's the use of killing a bear in the mountains and lugging him in when you can run him in?" he asked.—Boston Herald.

**Moors Consider Us Dirty.**

A habit of our own which we consider far more cleanly than eating with our fingers is looked upon by the Moors as filthy—that is, washing our hands or face in a basin and, still more, taking a bath where the water is not running. The cleaner we become, they say, the dirtier the water we are washing with must necessarily become, and eventually we step forth as cleansed from water which is no longer clean. A Moor to wash his hands has the water poured from a vessel over them and never by any chance dips them into the dirty water. The same way in their baths. The water is thrown over their bodies out of bright brass bowls and flows away through holes in the marble or tile floor.—Modern Society.

**Lowell's Motto.**

In a eulogy which appeared in the Century Magazine just after Lowell's death are these words: "This is Lowell's legacy as a patriot, not the sentiment, 'My country, right or wrong,' but 'My country—it shall never be wrong if I can help it.'"

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The Breckenridge News.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1906.

# CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The following gentlemen composed the Grand Jury: H. A Cannon, Sam DeJernette, C. T. McClananan, Rod Butler, John A. Carman, J. W. Kennedy J. W. Storms, Henry C. Drane, Austin Pate, Charles Satterfield, H. C. Haddock and J. D. Haynes. The court appointed J. W. Storms Foreman of the Grand Jury.

The petit jury is composed of the following persons C. B. English, James M. Withers, Ben F. Galloway, John Harper, W. H. Brumfield, George Gilbert, Cliff E. Pile, Teve Bandy, H. L. Stader, R. H. Adkisson, J. T. F. Owen, W. E. Ramsey, Wm. Adkisson, M. N. Arms, Alex Gray, Roland Wadlington, W. G. Smart, Peter Lyons, Luther Marr, Coral Board, W. Hendrick, Henry Hardin, Fladge McGary and J. J. Severs.

Thrusvia Hall vs Arthur Drane. On motion of the plaintiff this action was dismissed settled.

Pete Sheeran Bro. & Co. vs Wm. Down. On motion of the plaintiff continued and alias process awarded.

Eli H. Dean vs Employers Liability Insurance Co. The defendant confessed judgement for, and paid $225 to the plaintiff, and the action was dismissed settled.

International Harvesting Machinery Co. vs. A. J. Gross. The parties having settled this action, the same was ordered dismissed.

R. L. Newsom vs. Rose A. Whitehouse. On motion of the defendant this action was dismissed at the cost of the plaintiff.

Winnie Hall vs. Flora Macy. On motion of the plaintiff this action was dismissed without prejudice.

Cfiff Slaton vs R. G. Hill, etc. On motion of the plaintiff this case was stricken from the docket with leave to restore.

Isabelle Pool vs Forrest Pool. It was ordered by the court that this cause be dismissed settled.

Joseph Fraize vs. John Mattingly The court sustained a demurrer to the petition, to which the plaintiff excepted and declining to plead further, was granted an appeal to the Court of Appeals.

John L. Reed vs J. T. Moore. On motion of the plaintiff this cause was continued and at his cost.

Emily Raymer vs Melvin Raymer. Upon motion of the plaintiff this action was stricken from the docket.

Julia A. Wilkerson was granted a divorce from George L. Wilkerson, and also awarded the custody and control of her child, William Wilkerson.

John W. Vest, etc, vs Mike Tierney. The court rendered a judgement vs the defendant for $450 with interest from Sept 7 1900, subject to a credit of 100, paid Sept 17 1902.

L. Green vs Chas. Fentress. Upon motion of the plaintiff this cause was continued and at his costs.

E. C. Harned vs S. A. Davis. On motion of the defendant, this action was transferred to the Equity docket and continued.

Mary Payne vs Thomas Carman. The jury returned a verdict in this cause for $374.40 in favor of the plaintiff, with interest at 6 per cent. from the date of the judgement

Bank of Hardinsburg vs W. A Haynes. This action was continued on motion of the defendant.

R S. Bandy vs F. P. Payne etc. The defendant filed a demurr to the plaintiff's petition, and the action was submitted on the demurrer.

Montenegro Rheim Music Co. vs Jacob Weatherholt. The defendant filed exceptions to the deposition of C. N. Mattingly and the action was continued.

James Drury vs Sarah E. Bandy. The defendant, by her attorney, filed a written motion to strike certain portions of the petition, and the action was submitted on said motion.

The Grand Jury adjourned Saturday, after having returnd only ten indictments. They also made some recommendations as to improvements of public property.

Com'lth of Ky. vs Ode Robbins, charged with furnishing liquor to a minor. This prosecution was dismissed upon failure of proof, upon motion of attorney for the defendant.

Com'lth of Ky. vs George Douglass charged with breaking into the storehouse of Frank Fraize. The jury failed to agree, and the defendant was remanded to jail in default of a $100 bond.

W. P. Sauberry, of Owensboro, was examined by Judge Henry Moorman and A. R. Kincheloe, and granted license to practice law.

The bond fo Robert Day was declared forfeited in the prosecution of Com'lth of Ky. vs Robt. Day charged with shooting with intent to kill; but upon the showing made by the bondsman, a portion of the bond was remitted by the court.

Com'lth of Ky. vs Larcus Cecil, charged with false swearing. This prosecution was dismissed upon motion of the Com'lth's Atty, upon failure of proof.

The jury, in the prosecution of the Com'lth of Ky. vs Isaac Blair, who was charged with assault and battery, returned a verdict of guilty and fixed his fine at $5 and the costs of the prosecution.

Georgia B. Haynes was adjudged to be an idiot.

Among the visiting attorneys during this term are: James S. Wortham and J. C. Graham, Leitchfield; V. G. Babbage, Cloverport; Jack Trent Brandenburg; R. N. Miller, James R. Skillman, Owensboro.

The Grand jury indicted John H. Clark, Neal Holland, and Frank Whitworth for the murder of John A. Coke. The indictment alleges as follows: The shooting was done by either said John Henry Clark, Neal Holland or Frank Whitworth, but this grand jury does not know and can not state which one of them fired said shot, but one of them did kill and murder said Coke, and the others of said defendants did then and their counsel, advice, encourage, aid and abet same, but which so actully fired the shot and which so actually counseled, aided, advised, encouraged and abetted therein, is to this grand jury unknown.

Court will probably adjourn Wednesday.

## TOBINSPORT.

Boney Sanders has returned home.

Mrs. Mary McKinney is very sick.

Miss Alla Lamb was in Cloverport Tuesday.

Miss Willia Polk spent a few days in Cloverport last week.

Chester Polk has purchased a new rubber-tired runabout.

A large crowd from here had quite an enjoyable time fishing last Saturday.

Little Miss Mary Earls went to Rome Sunday where she will visit her grandfather Mr. ——Earls.

Miss Nell DeWees returned home from Rome Friday where she has been the guest of relatives.

Misses Nina Weatherholt and Verna Ryan spent Sunday in Cloverport the guest of Miss Maud Polk.

Miss Mary Anderson left here Tuesday for St. Louis, Mo., where she will be married to Mr. George Winchell of Fyine, Okla. Mr. Winchell is formerly of this place.

An ice-cream and strawberry supper will be given at the Tobinsport schoolhouse, Wednesday night. The proceeds will be used toward carpeting the Baptist Church. All are invited to attend.

## CHENAULT.

J. C. Brodie was on the sick list Friday and Saturday.

E. J. Stallman went to Louisville Sunday with hogs.

Miss Jennie Greenwell of Rhodelia is visiting her uncle, M. C. Frymire.

Mrs. George Fleitz from Missouri is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleitz.

Misses Ermie and Jessie Warren spent Sunday with Miss Maggie Stallman.

Dr. D. S. Sphir and J. F. Jarboe went to Hardinsburg Friday on business.

Little Vernia Bennet who has been attending School at Stephensport returned home Friday.

Miss Mary Burch of Mooleyville spent a few days last week with her aunt Mrs. J. F. Jarboe.

Messrs. Claud Buren and Joe Vessels from Rhodelia spent Saturday with Misses Ermine and Jessie Warren.

L. H. Bosley and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cunningham and grand children Mrs. A. S. Allen and daughter, Mrs. Floyd Miller and little daughter, Mary Louise, all dinned with Mr. and Mrs. George Gilliland Sunday and all report a pleasant time.

# HOME-COMING PROCLAMATION.

Gov. J. C. W. Beckham as issued a proclamation inviting all former residents of Kentucky to return to this State for Home-coming Week, June 13-17 next. The Louisville Commercial Club will have printed between sixty and seventy thousand copies of the proclsemation, and one will be mailed to every former Kentuckian who has here-tofore received an invitation for Home coming Week.

The paper is regarded by those who have read it as one of Gov. Beckham's best efforts, and without doubt will have great influence upon home-sick Kentuckians who read it. The correspondent to the Association Press sent the proclamation out by wire, and it was printed in every paper of prominence in the United States.

Following is the proclamation in full:

HOME-COMING PROCLAMATION.

Commonwealth of Kentucky, Executive Department, Frankfort.—To all absent sons and daughters of Kentucky unto whom these presents shall come, greeting:

As the fond parent yearns for the return of an absent child, so does your mother Commonwealth rejoice in the prospect of bringing you back, even for a visit, to the Old Kentucky Home. Wherever you have wandered, into whatever lands or clime you may have gone to take up your abode, you are now by parental authority summoned back to the proud old State that gave birth to you or to your forefathers. The old dinner horn, that in days of yore told you of the approaching meal, has been taken down from the wall and there issues from its sonorous and hospitable mouth a trumpet call reaching the remotest corners of the earth, and breathing into the heart of every home-sick Kentuckian the muiscal and irresistible appeal that he drop all else and forthwith begin his pilgrimage back to his native hearth. A joyous welcome awaits you; feasts and festivals have been prepared to gladden your hearts; burgoo and barbecues will awaken old and delightful memories in you; music and song, in sweetest strains, will cheer and comfort you; oratory and she in eloquent terms will recount to you the love which your old State bears for you and the interest and pride she has taken in your success in other lands. As the genial sun of spring warms into life the beauties of nature, so will the kindly glances and friendly grasps of your old friends in Kentucky inspire in you, if possible, greater and tenderer love for the State you once left. Peace and plenty shall be yours, and hardened, indeed, must be the heart that resists such an invitation and parental appeal. "God's country" in June will put on her loveliest garb for you; nature will wear, as she can wear only in Kentucky, her brightest wreath of flowers and smiles, the feathered songsters will gaily join in the musical celebration; green pastures, shady woodlands, rolling hillsides and picturesque streams will in glorious and gorgeous style bespeak the welcome which thrills every heart.

We have this great event for your coming in Louisville from June 13 to 17; thence you may radiate into all parts of the State, where eqaully hospitabl welcomes will be given you.

Now, therefore, as Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, I, J. C. W. Beckham, do by these presents and by the authority of the parent, which Kentucky claims over all her children, even unto the third and fourth generations, command peace and every former Kentuckian, whether separated from us by imaginary State line or broad seas, to come back home; if he be at the plow, the forge, the counting-room, the business office or in whatever employment, let him for the time cease his work and return home. Men, women and children, who possess the priceless heritage of having a drop of Kentucky blood in their veins, must obey these commands and not fail to be with us during this gala period. It is not necesary to issue any commands to the people here as to the treatment of the guests, for the former are anxious beyond measure to show them that the old Kentucky home is just as good now as it ever was.

Done at Franfkort this 9th day of May, 1906, and in the 14th year of the Commwealth.

J. C. W. BECKHAM.

By the Governor:

H. V. McCHESNEY. Secretary of State.

By W. F. GRAYOT,
Assistant Secretary of State.

Mr. J. E. Keith was in Guston last week superintending the erection of a monument.

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